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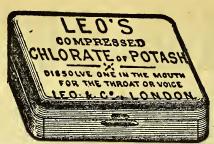
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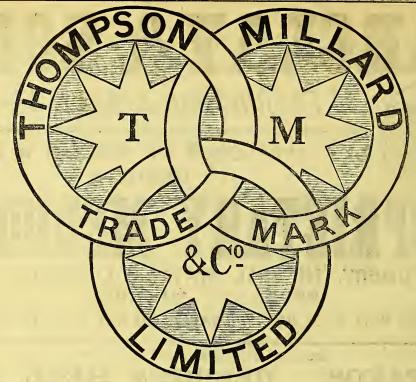
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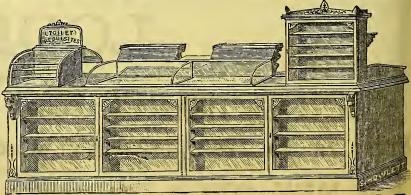
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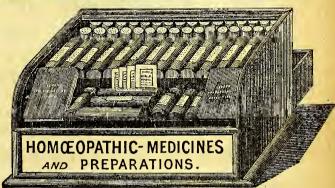
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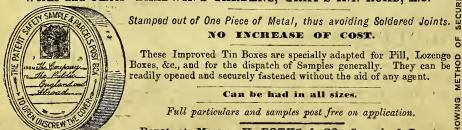
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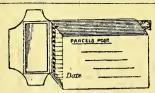
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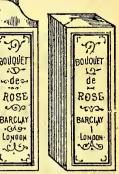
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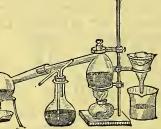
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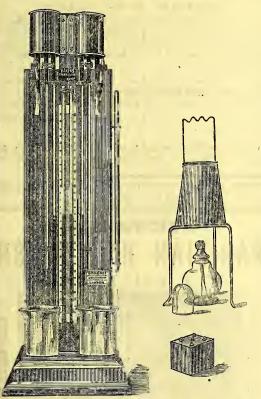
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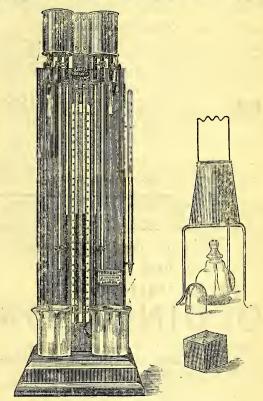
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badana y fustan la doc.	22.50	38 75
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y fustan la doc.	20 00	37.50
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Cat. No.	ENKELT	DOBB
1369. Inguinal, Kredsformet Spend	-	
kraft (fig. 1 og 2), overtrukker	1	
med Basilikum og Muldvar	Kr.	Kr
peskind pr. dus	. 16:30	28
1369 <sup>D</sup> . Do., do., Safian og Muldvar-		-
peskind pr. dus	. 14.50	27
1371. Do., do., Kalo og Muldvar	•	
peskind pr. dus	. 28.80	460
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6 & 7), pr. dus	29.70	590
1375. Do., Moc Main Spændkraft		
fig. 8 enkelt a	5.85	95
1381. Testikel, overtrukken med		
Basilikum og Muldvarpeskind	i	
(fig. 12) pr. dus	43.20	750

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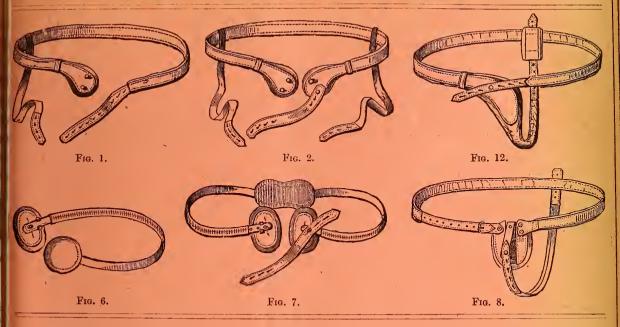
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1369 <sup>D</sup> .	Ditto, ditto, Roan and Moleskin,	16	_	 30	0
	Ditto, ditto, Calf and Moleskin ,,	32	0	 52	0
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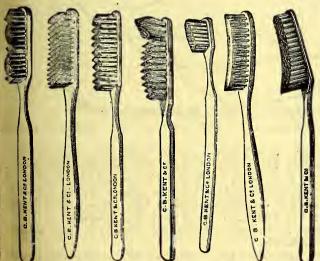




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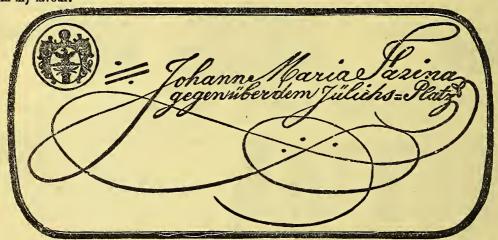
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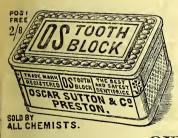
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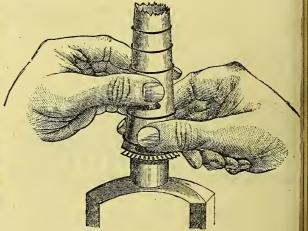
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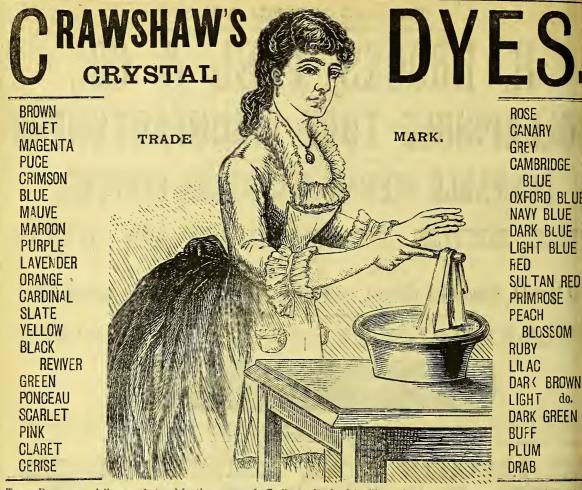
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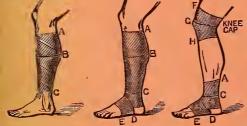
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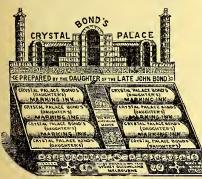
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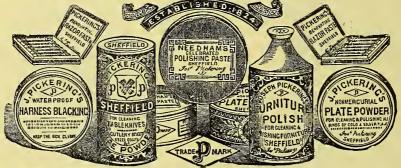
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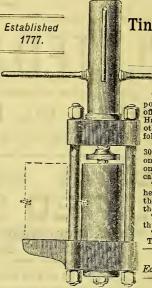
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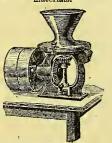
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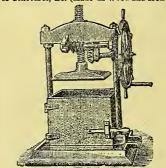
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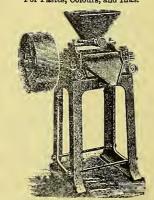
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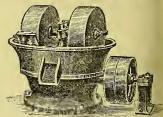
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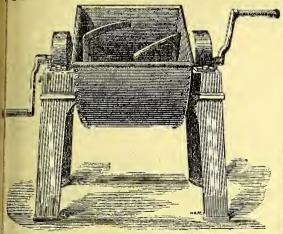


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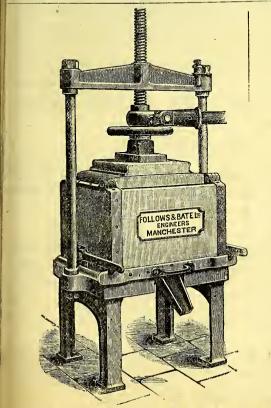
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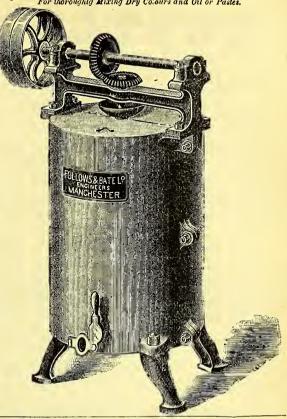
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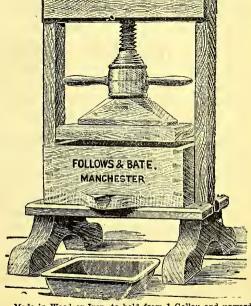


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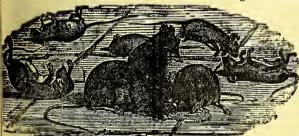
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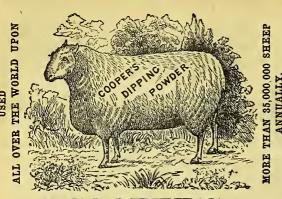
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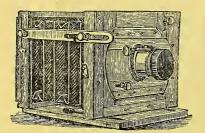
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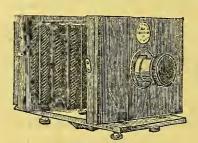
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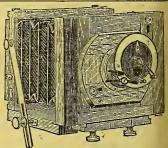
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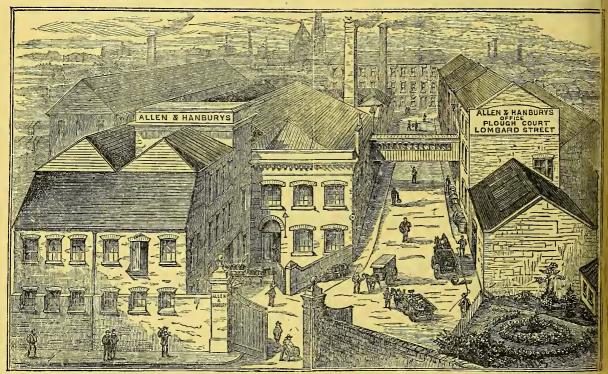
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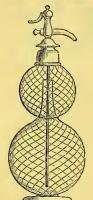
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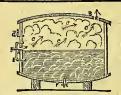
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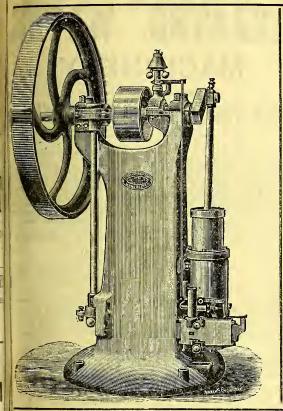
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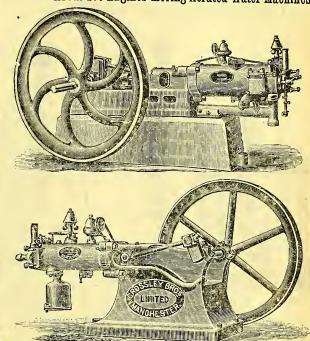
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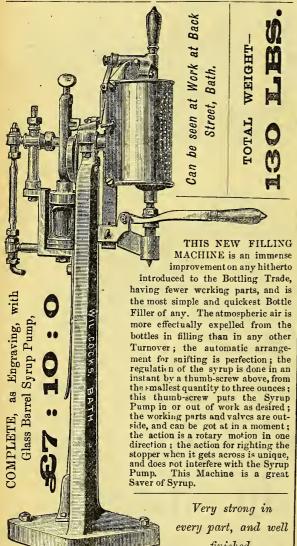
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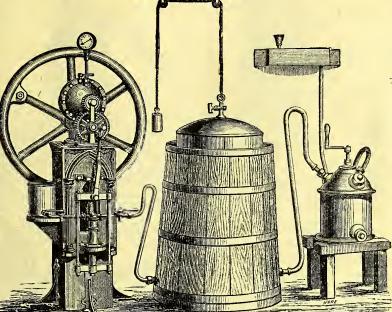
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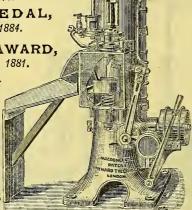
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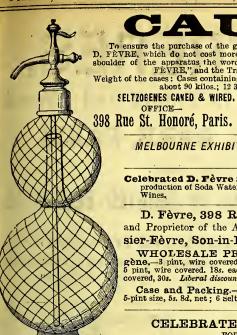
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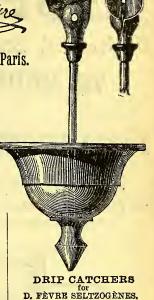
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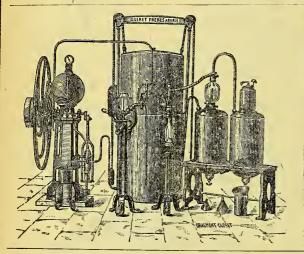
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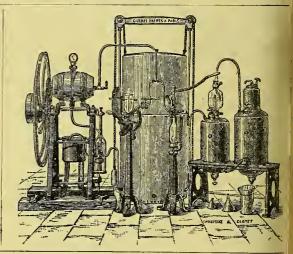
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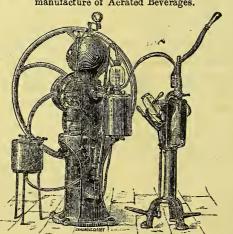
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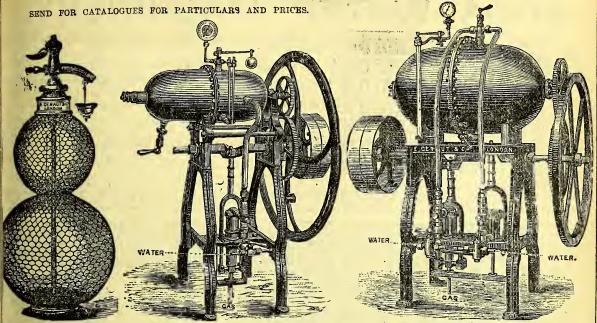
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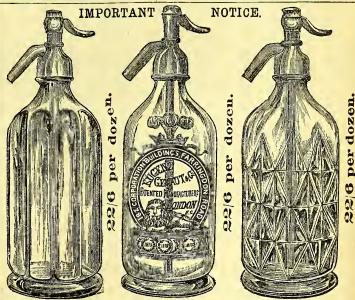
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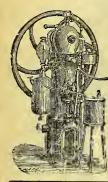
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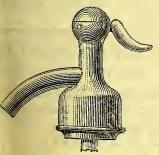
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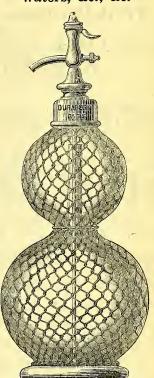
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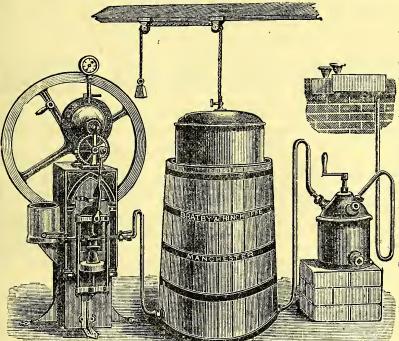
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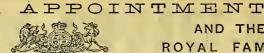
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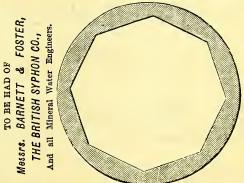
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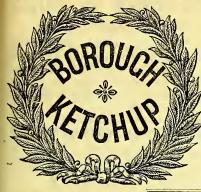


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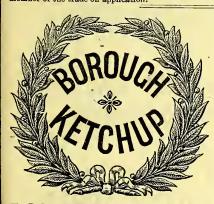
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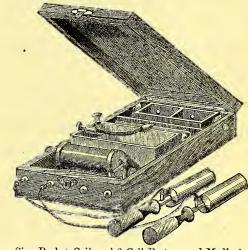


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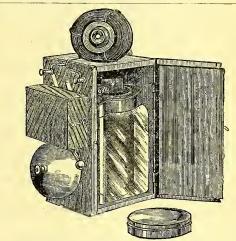
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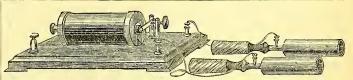
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# HOUSE OF COMMONS, MONDAY, JULY 13, 1885. POISONOUS PATENT MEDICINES AND PATENT MEDICINE STAMPS.

Mr. Warton: I beg leave to ask my hon, friend the Financial Secretary to the Treasury whether the Government contemplate taking any steps with respect to poisonous patent medicines, and whether it would be possible to issue such a stamp to be affixed to patent medicines as would avoid the appearance of giving a Government guarantee of the goodness or harmlessness of such medicines?

Sir Henry Holland: In reply to the first part of the question, I have to state that her Majesty's Government do not intend to proceed with the Poisons Bill which was introduced in another place. In respect to the second part of the question, I have to state that the stamp will be altered so as to make it plain that there is no Government guarantee of the medicines. The stamp in future will bear the words, "This stamp implies no Government guarantee." Specimens were submitted to and approved by my predecessor, and the Inland Revenue department is now engaged in the preparation of the plates. It is expected that the new plates will be completed, and the present stock of old stamps exhausted, within two months from now, when they will be issued.

WE are able to give some important details concerning the new edition of the British Pharmacopæia, which, it is believed, will be ready for sale in about a month.

Meetings of the Society of Chemical Industry have just been held in London. Dr. Perkin, the retiring president, gave an address on the coal-tar colours industry. Mr. E. K. Muspratt, of Liverpool, was elected president for the current year.

The new by-laws of the Pharmaceutieal Society were agreed to at the adjourned special meeting of the Society on July 2. One of them was inserted after all the rest had been formally read three times by the Council, and did not pass through the prescribed course. It can hardly have been legally adopted.

A chemist in the East of London has been summoned for having in his possession for use in trade certain unstamped dispensing weights. The weights were all accurate, but they were unstamped. We are glad to see that the Chemists' Trade Association took up the defence of the ease, and that only a nominal fine was imposed. Chemists generally should take note of this ease, though it is to be hoped that most inspectors will satisfy their sense of duty by giving a friendly caution in such a case as this, instead of making "a case."

The Association have also prosecuted a grocer at Ellesmere for selling a packet of Cooper's sheep-dipping powder, which, it was alleged, contained arsenie, without fulfilling the requirements of the Pharmacy Act in respect to labelling the packet and entering the sale. A nominal fine was imposed.

Last month the Society of Apotheearies recovered 201, with eosts from Mr. A. W. Tulby, described as an "aeeoueheur and dealer in patent medicines," of Brunswick Road, Poplar. Several witnesses were ealled to show that either they themselves or their children had been treated medically by the defendant for ehronie asthma, measles, &c. He had sometimes called at their houses, and they paid for the medicines supplied. They admitted, in cross-examination, that the medicines had a beneficial effect, and that the defendant was popular in the district. For the defence it was endeavoured to be proved that the defendant did not compound or prescribe any medicines, and that he merely aeted as assistant to a surgeon, in which capacity he was entitled to do what he had done. Mr. Lewis Glyn, for the plaintiffs, said a surgeon had no more right to aet as an apothecary than an ordinary druggist.

We may remind pharmacists who wish to attend the International Pharmaceutical Congress that they may obtain forms of application for membership from us. The fee payable to the Congress is 8s., which will entitle the member to travel on Belgian lines at half rates. Next month we will give particulars of the various routes. We may here state that the English companies decline to give any concession, though the Great Eastern Railway Company (viâ Harwich and Antwerp) are willing to consider proposals for conveying a party.

The annual meeting of the British Medical Association is to be held at Cardiff, from July 28 to July 31, under the presidency of Dr. W. T. Edwards, of Cardiff. An exhibition of instruments, diagrams, medical works, foods, drugs, ehemicals, and pharmaceutical preparations will be held during the meeting in the public hall, Queen Square Dr. Maurice G. Evans, of Cardiff, is secretary to the pharmaceutical section.

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#### QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS.

THE subject of the next exercise in qualitative analysis will be a mixture of salts. It is to be submitted to a thorough systematic examination, designed to detect all the constituents of the mixture, and to show that no other substances are present. In reporting each student is to give a brief account of the work done, with a list of the metals and acid radicles detected, distinguishing those which may be regarded as accidental impurities.

Applications for a portion of the mixture should be sent in not later than the 20th inst. The samples will be forwarded on the 25th.

Students' reports will be received up to August 15.

#### REPORTS.

The mixture sent to students in May eonsisted of:-

Carbonate -					Parts
Lead		 		• •	 1
Copper		 			 1
Barium		 			 3
Calcium		 			 3
Potassium iodie	le	 			 1
Ammonium bro	omide	 	••		 1

The calculated composition of this mixture is as follows:-

Pb								7.75
Cu	••							5.14
Ba							٠	23.30
Ca								12.00
K								2.35
NH.	.,				••			1.83
Br								8.17
I					••			7.65
CO.,	••							31.81
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In the above calculation it is assumed that the copper salt is the normal earbonate; it, of course, contained some hydrate. The only impurity of any importance present was a trace of copper sulphate.

Out of the twenty-four reports received we have the following failures to record: -Bromine, 22; ammonia, 11; calcium, 9; barium, 8; potassium, 7; lead, 5; copper, 3; iodine, 2. In many cases no attempt was made to detect bromine. A very simple test served to reveal the presence of this important element. To a few drops of the aqueous solution some starch paste was added, and then a dilute sulphuric acid solution of potassium nitrite. The presence of iodine was immediately shown by the blue eoloration of the stareh. Chlorine-water was then cautiously added until all the iodine had entered into combination with chlorine, this point being indicated by the disappearance of the blue colour. More chlorine-water was now added, when the liquid assumed a yellowish red tint, caused by the liberation of bromine. On adding a drop of chloroform, shaking, and allowing the chloroform to subside, it was found to be coloured a deep reddish yellow by the dissolved bromine. The examination for chlorine in the presence of iodine and bromine is not quite so simple a matter. Many methods for the separation of the halogens have been suggested. Some of these have the disadvantage of requiring reagents not readily procured, and they would, therefore, be unsuitable in the present case. The method that has just been described serves admirably for the detection of bromine. The following plan may be employed to detect chlorine:-The mixture of silver salts obtained by adding silver nitrate to the

solution, which may contain chlorine as well as bromine or iodine, is washed and treated with ammonia. Most of the silver iodidc remains undissolved, but the chloride and bromide are dissolved. The ammonia solution is precipitated by adding nitric acid, and the precipitate after being washed is dried and fused with sodium carbonate. The fused mass is exhausted with water; this solution is then almost, but not quite, neutralised with sulphuric acid, and then evaporated to dryness. The dry residue is now mixed with potassium bichromate and introduced into a small retort or bulb tube; eoneentrated sulphuric acid is added, and a gentle heat applied. If chlorine is present it will make its appearance in the form of chlorochromic anhydride, a reddish brown gas, which readily condenses to a liquid of similar colour. This gas is most easily identified by its spectrum, which is very peculiar. It exhibits a perfectly regular series of welldefined absorption bands.

Before testing for nitric acid by means of ferrous sulphate and sulphuric acid it was necessary to remove iodine by adding silver sulphate. The filtrate was then tested in the usual way.

In testing for ammonia the common practice is to use a solution of sodium or potassium hydrate, and frequently there is so much water present that the liquid must be boiled to liberate the ammonia. A sharper result is obtained by mixing the dry compound with dry calcium hydrate, and then moistening the mixture very slightly. If this experiment is performed in a watch-glass the test is made extremely delicate by covering the watch-glass with a glass plate, to which a scrap of slightly moistened turmeric paper adheres. A quantity of ammonia, too small to be detected by smell, will reveal its presence by turning the turmeric paper brown. If there is only a minute quantity of ammonia present it may not be detected until the watch-glass is gently warmed.

#### PRIZES.

The First Prize for the best analysis has been awarded to EMIL A. WERNER, 5 Church Avenue, Rathmines, Dublin.

The Second Prize has been awarded to W. W. Talbot, 126 Strand, London, W.C.

#### Marks Awarded for Analyses.

E. A. Werner (first prize)	٠	90	j KC1 63
W. W. Talbot (second prize)		86	J. F. C 60
J. B		84	A. Newton 58
"Nemo"		84	"Experientia docet" 55
A. W. Morrell		82	Lewis Ough 55
C. B. Gibson		80	H. André 50
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C. A. Shaw		70	J. W. A 25
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R. P		65	н. А 10

#### TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Prizes.—The students to whom prizes are awarded are requested to write at once to the Publisher, naming the book they select, and stating how they wish it forwarded.

Any scientific book that is published at a price not greatly exceeding half-a-guinea may be taken as a first prize.

Any scientific book which is sold for about five shillings may be taken as second prize.

\*\*\* All communications should include the names and addresses of the writers.

E. A. Werner.—The detection of bromine scored greatly in your favour.

J. B.—The result of your analysis of the insoluble portion is remarkable, as you found chlorine and the sulphuric radicle, and you failed to detect any metal.

 ${\it Nemo}_*$ —A much more exhaustive examination for the acids was necessary.

Nit Desperandum.—It is evident that you did not succeed in thoroughly separating copper by means of sulphuretted hydrogen, hence the pale green colour of the solution in which you thought you detected manganese

Catalysis.—Arsenious anhydride is by no means singular in its tendency to float on water: many other substances behave in a similar manner towards liquids in which they are insoluble, or but slightly soluble.

C. A. Shaw.—A more exhaustive examination in the dry way is desirable. It is a great advantage to have a general idea of the character of the mixture before entering upon the examination in the wet way.

G. B. M.—This was a difficult exercise for a beginner. You must not be discouraged. Platinic chloride is a valuable reagent for the detection of potassium. You can easily prepare it in small quantity by dissolving a scrap of platinum wire in nitro-hydrochloric acid, and evaporating to dryness on the water-bath.

R. P.—Lead was easily detected in the preliminary examination by fusion with sodium carbonate on charcoal. Lead chloride separated from the warm hydrochloric solution on cooling. The metal barium was an important constituent in this case, as it constituted nearly a quarter of the mixture.

KC.—You observed the green colour of the mixture, but the constituents you detected would not account for this colour.

J. F. C.—Your method of analysis does not prove that the substances detected were the only constituents of the mixture. Remember that it is quite as important to show that one metal is absent as it is to prove that another is present.

A. Newton.—About one-fifth of the mixture dissolved in water, and the remainder was almost entirely dissolved by warm dilute hydrochloric acid.

Oswestry.—Your chief error arose from failing to observe the residue left ou evaporating the aqueous solution.

W. J. Wallace.—It was a mistake to treat the portion insoluble in water with sulphuric acid, dilute hydrochloric acid was the proper solvent to employ.

J. W. A.—You gave too little attention to the acid radicles. In this case they constituted 47 per cent. of the mixture.

C. H. R.—The detection of one member of any group seems to satisfy you. Before sending in your next report we recommend you to take a complete list of all the ordinary metals and acid radicles, and see that you have in some way accounted for every one of them.

H. A.—You will find the platinum-foil on which you fused a portion of the mixture with sodium carbonate has been injured by being alloyed with the lead. You should have fused it on charcoal. You want some practice with mixtures of your own preparation.

## Pharmacalia.

#### PILL-EXCIPIENTS.

A WELL-KNOWN pharmacist has kindly forwarded his formula for a general pill-excipient. He takes sp. vini rect. and water, and slightly warms the mixture. Enough honey is then stirred in to make a rather thin syrup. There are many pill-masses that this will bring to an easily pliable condition. This in his hands was found to answer better generally than honey and water. It may be observed that the mel liquidum is a poor preparation unless made strictly according to directions. The honey and water in the proportion of 2:1 must be raised to the boiling-point and skimmed. On the large scale it is invaluable when used for pills in which rhubarb is an essential ingredient.

Mr. J. F. Brown, of Dover, makes an excellent suggestion with regard to glucose syrup. This was strongly recommended by M. Lascheid, and answered remarkably well with heavy chemical powders. So far it was a distinct addition to dispensing aids. But, as every dispenser soon discovers, this excipient is sufficiently sticky to prove disagreeable in use.

Mr. J. F. Brown gives this formula:-

			1	arts
Glucose syrup				
Glycerine	 	 	 	4
Water	 	 	 	1

All by weight. For pepsin he prefers this diluted glucosc used in the proportion of one-half the weight to any other excipient, and it seems also adapted for compounds of aloes

and iron. The absence of colour is a consideration where a white pill-mass is desirable.

The soluble cream of tartar is capable in experienced hands of being a most efficient pill-excipient. It is specially useful in combining chemical powders which have in themselves little power of cohesion. To this there is an exception in the case of substances which contain much water of crystallisation, as—

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Ferri sulphas . . . . . . FeSO., 7H<sub>2</sub>O

Sodæ carbonas . . . . . Na<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub>, 10H<sub>2</sub>O

Sodæ phosphas . . . . . . . . . . . . Na<sub>4</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub>, 12H<sub>2</sub>O
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The cream of tartar in a soluble condition sets free the water, and the result is unfortunate. In such cases there are two methods to be employed: (1) Desiccation, or (2) coating the substance with glycerine, with subsequent use of powdered tragacanth.

#### COMBINATION PHOTOGRAPHS.

Those who pay attention to periodical literature will have noticed the curious experiments which have been made at Washington with what are called "combination photographs," A number of mathematicians, geologists, and other scientists have their separate portraits united by an ingenious process into one negative, and the result is certainly pleasing, and, perhaps, to some extent instructive. How far a scientific theory may be based on these experiments it would be difficult to say. It is, however, beyond question that the representative type thus presented is an argument in favour of the effect of cultivated intelligence on the outward form. Perhaps a multiplication of the series might lead the subject out of the region of the fanciful, and give some reliable results. No one can take up a high-class illustrated book of travels without recognising at a glance the deteriorating influence of want of thought and cultivation; we can stay at home and see a familiar and striking instance in the contrasted photographs given by Dr. Barnardo of vagrants rescued from the streets, and the same individuals after careful training. We should much like to see an opposite mode of treatment, and try the effect of a combined photograph of a provincial British jury, or an assorted row of agricultural labourers. Would they come out as stupid as rumour says they are? or would they appear as a dignified embodiment of human intellect? The suggestion, if carried out, would be a step towards ascertaining the value of the process.

#### AN ASIAN PLANT.

A plant, said to be called the "cup of life" by Turkomans, has received a passing notice from the *Times* correspondent of the Afghan Frontier Commission. He describes coming upon acres of what is popularly named "kalkelli," the plan having most lovely cups formed by the base of the leaves at two or three places round the stem.

These cups allow the stalk to pass through them, but close round in many shapes, and, according to the ripeness of the plant, take many colours, from the most delicate green to orange; while from one end of the rim of the cup springs a graceful dentellated spray of leafage. These cups catch and retain rain or dew, and must be a grateful sight to a weary traveller.

#### SCIENTIFIC GAIETIES.

The London season has offered its full share of gaiety to the scientific world. Men devoted to abstract studies seem keenly alive to social festivities. On the whole, two places must bear the palm as being best adapted to a conversazione—the South Kensington Museum and the grounds and

buildings of the Inventions Exhibition. In both of these there are not only endless sources of entertainment, but, what is equally desirable, there is ample room.

Our own Society, we need hardly mention, met at the firstnamed resort, while the Society of Arts gave its annual splendid reception at the latter. The liberality which distinguishes the proceedings of this body deserves to be put on record, and the beauty of the night enabled the executive to carry out their hospitable intent. Those who are accustomed to similar displays must acknowledge that previous efforts had been exceeded. Lights and ladies, flowers and fountains, music and, apparently, inexhaustible refreshments, were a sufficient excuse for neglecting inventions, however cunningly devised. Two evenings previously, on July 1, the Royal Botanic Society were favoured with an equally lovely night for their annual evening fête, and never was this now fashionable event more brilliant or enjoyable. Sir John Lubbock welcomed his fellowcomrades of the Linnean Society in "their own house." The College of Surgeons did the same at Lincoln's Inn Fields, the result being an inextricable block. Vainly did late-coming visitors try to mount the staircase and gain an entrance into the Gallery of Anatomy; as vainly did the carlier arrivals try to descend to the lower regions and the hall. The struggle for hats and coats was amusing after the fight was over. The surgeon's soirée was remarkable for the unwearied personal attention of the president, Mr. Cooper Forster, who throughout the evening never relinquished his post at the main entrance, but stood there to the last, receiving or conversing with his guests. To close this brief record, the doors of the Royal Institute of Painters in Water-colours were thrown open to Fellows and friends of the representative chemical associations on Wednesday, July 8. The respective Presidents of the Chemical Society, the Institute of Chemistry, and the Society of Chemical Industry did the konours of reception.

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DR. REDWOOD, EMERITUS PROFESSOR OF PHARMACY.

At the July meeting of the Pharmaccutical Council, Professor Redwood was appointed Emeritus Professor of Chemistry and Pharmacy. Mr. Wyndham R. Dunstan succeeds to the active duties of the chair, being appointed Professor of Chemistry.

No one connected with British Pharmacy need be reminded that Dr. Redwood began to teach practical pharmacy in 1842, and has for over forty years been one of its most prominent expositors. When George Fownes was compelled to relinquish his duties, owing to ill-health, chemistry was incorporated in the course. Since that date the whole of the organisation of pharmacy has been changed, and compulsory examinations have replaced the voluntary system. We have better general protection of pharmaceutical interests, but we have not better men.

Passing over the political aspect of affairs, which are familiar as household words to every reader, we may lead back for a moment the younger race of pharmacists to the days of small beginnings, when Jacob Bell saw the necessity of having a corporate society which could assert its rights and have a recognised existence. Pharmacists at that period were a scattered race, with no union, and therefore with no power. Each man, with more or less intelligence, lived on a little island of his own; and while the commonest trades had their guilds and confraternities, pharmacy was content to struggle on in separate individuality. When Mr. Hawes, with his Poison Bill, wished to snuff out pharmacy, he found nothing definite to snuff. On the other hand, it was but too evident that there was no constituted body to defend. This

was pointed out by a few men who held no conspicuous position themselves, but who were wise in their generation. Having succeeded in arousing united action, they retired from the management of affairs, leaving it to more distinguished persons to complete the work. This forms one of the strangest episodes in the history of the rise of a Society. Then it was that Mr. Bell took those energetic measures, the results of which are now before the world. He associated himself with a few like Thomas Morson, John Savory, Henry Deane, Daniel Bell Hanbury, and others, and thus a commencement was made for the establishment and continuance of pharmacy in Great Britain.

No sooner was this effected than it was obvious that something more must be attempted. A mere trades-union, however desirable under certain circumstances, would in this instance have dropped to pieces had it ventured to stand alone. Other interests were at stake, for pharmacy was something more than an ordinary trade, and could neither advance commercially nor claim respect for its followers from the world outside, without educational qualifications. Then Jacob Bell looked round for men competent to give that instruction which was so sorely needed, and set himself in earnest to found a school. The movement was popular in the extreme. Novelty, perhaps, had a distinct attraction; but whatever theory may be adopted, never has there been witnessed greater enthusiasm than when the first set of lectures commenced in Bloomsbury Square.

Their popularity was subject to sudden vicissitudes, and the newly inaugurated system was not exempt from ebb and flow. Throughout, our Professor Emeritus was constant at his post, whether he had to address a crowded audience or speak to almost empty benches. Whether the laboratory which he designed was filled to overflowing, or whether the students slackened in their zeal, Professor Redwood calmly pursued the even tenour of his way.

One great source of anxiety for years was the management of the evening meetings. There were by no means so many speakers, seeing that pharmaceutical education was in its infancy. It would be a faulty record of the past that did not allude to the part Professor Redwood took in these proceedings. He had literally, and for obvious reasons, the lion's share. Engaged in practical work all day, he knew more of his own department than the rest, and had far more varied experience.

A remonstrance was once made that one person should so constantly appear, and when on the next occasion the Professor chose to remain silent, it is historical that the meeting would have collapsed had he not reconsidered his determination. That cannot happen now, for our young men are infinitely more advanced than they were in times gone by, and, to their honour be it spoken, they have redeemed the promise of their better training.

Now and then the Society has a chance of seeing what our Professor Emeritus has been. Not very long ago he grew hot about cinchona, and brought back memories of former years. Of his public literary work we are content to say little, for we could add nothing in the light of information. That he has been one of the chief authorities consulted in framing a British Pharmacopœia is well known; and he has been the constant exponent of the various applications of science to industrial enterprise. As an expositor he is at his best, and his most successful lectures have related to popular, because useful, discoveries. Time, which affects most things human, has not altered the actual spot in which he elects to work, for his private laboratory is still the basement of the Society's rooms. Nor have years altered his assiduity, nor diminished his powers of conducting original research.

## The Pharmacentical Council.

AT the meeting on July 1 all the members were present, Mr. Michael Carteighe, president, in the chair.

The name of John Barclay, 14 Guthrie Street, Edinburgh,

was restored to the register.

A list of local secretaries recommended by the Library, &c., Committee was approved by the Council.

#### PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION CENTRES.

A table was submitted showing the number of candidates at the various centres from January, 1882, to April, 1885 (fourteen examinations). This showed the following results:—England and Wales.—Birmingham, 226; Brighton, 52; Bristol, 123; Cambridge, 66: Canterbury, 46; Cardiff, 124; Carlisle, 95; Carmarthen, 163; Carnavon, 92; Cheltenham, 28; Darlington, 71; Exeter, 138; Hull, 93; Lancaster, 78; Leeds, 256; Lincoln, 101; Liverpool, 180; London, 626; Manchester, 349; Newcastle, 119; Northampton, 57; Norwich, 93; Nottingham, 140; Oxford, 23; Peterborough, 72; Sheffield, 86; Shrewsbury, 71; Southampton, 108; Truro, 57; Worcester, 48; York, 98. Scotland.—Aberdeen, 158; Dundee, 101; Edinburgh, 298; Glasgow, 187; Inverness, 41. Douglas, Isle of Man, 15; Guernsey, 17; Jersey, 9.

It was resolved to reappoint the same centres and to offer the superintendencies to the local secretaries, except in

London and Edinburgh.

#### SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS.

Messrs. Gibson and Gilmour were appointed examiners for the Ccuncil prizes; Messrs. Bowen and Ince, for the Jacob Bell scholarships: Professor Bentley and Mr. Corder, for the Peter Squire prize.

#### BENEVOLENT FUND.

One grant of 201, three of 101, and one of 51, were voted.

#### EVENING MEETINGS.

Among the recommendations of the Library and Museum Committee was one that the evening meetings of the next session should be held on the *second* Wednesdays of November, December, February, March, and April. It was stated that this change (from the first Wednesdays) was suggested because under the present arrangements so much work is thrown on the officers of the Society. The recommendation was adopted.

#### THE PROFESSORS.—A NEW PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY.

On the recommendation of the same Committee Professor Redwood was appointed Emeritus Professor of Chemistry and Pharmacy, Professor Bentley was reappointed Professor of Botany and Materia Medica, Professor Attfield was reappointed Professor of Practical Chemistry, and Mr. Wyndham R. Dunstan was appointed Professor of Chemistry.

#### INFRINGEMENTS OF THE PHARMACY ACT.

The solicitor had reported to the General Purposes Committee as to the progress of cases in hand. Against F. Vorley, Rushden, Higham Ferrers, a judgment for a penalty of 5l. and costs on the higher scale had been obtained. Butcher, Rushden, Higham Ferrers, had confessed judgment prior to the hearing, and an order for payment of the penalty had been made. S. Richardson, Norton Road, Stockton-on-Tees, had paid a penalty of 5l. Proceedings were ordered in several other cases of alleged infringement.

#### SYSTEMATIC PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH.

The President then moved the following resolution, of which he had given notice:—

That steps be taken for promoting systematic research in pharmacy, and that the Library, Museum, Laboratory, and House Committee be instructed to consider and report on the means by which the object can be best carried out.

In advocating this motion, the President said his object was that the Society should undertake such work as could not and would not be done by individual professors or students on their own account. As possible subjects of research, he said, the effect of different solvents on the commenest drugs had been very little investigated. Again, the best way of dealing pharmaccutically with a new remedy was an important question. One remedy would appear today, and another to-morrow, and its use might last for ten or twenty years according to circumstances, and during that time there would probably be in demand a number of pharmaceutical preparations for which there was no definite standard, and it seemed to him there would be great fitness and utility in that Society, which aimed at assisting pharmacy in its widest sense, having a committee of investigators engaged in such work. The annual result of such work might be published, and would form a standard. The moment a new Pharmacoposia appeared it should be the duty of a permanent committee to consider it, and see how far its processes answered, what was intended, how far they could be improved, and how far in some cases they could be eradicated. An announcement had been made that the British Pharmacopæia would appear about the end of the present year, and not before. It seemed to him that, quite apart from the political aspect of the question, and the desirability of pharmacists having a voice in the compilation of the Pharmacopœia, it was desirable that they should begin with the issue of the new Pharmacopæia to do what their resources admitted. They might be content the first year with organising a system of efficient workers at a comparatively small expense, directed by a competent person filled with sufficient enthusiasm for the work. If such a project could be carried out with spirit, the Pharmaceutical Society might in the future be referred to on all matters connected with the analysis and impurities of drugs. The general result of such work as he proposed would be that drugs and preparations for the cure of disease would probably be materially reduced in number, whilst the potency, applicability, and value of those remaining would be proportionately increased. In the case of new preparations, their value would be discovered, and thus the compilers of the National Pharmacopœia would have an amount of material placed at their command which they could not afford to neglect. This sort of work involved chemical work as well as pharmaceutical, and he thought probably some of the old pupils would be glad for a year or six months to associate themselves with a competent director of the research laboratory, and to engage in such investigations for the sake of improving their own education.

Mr. SYMES said he should be prepared to second the motion if it were understood that the proposal extended to education. The announcement on the Agenda gave him great satisfaction, but he should have liked the motion to read somewhat in this way: "That the Committee be instructed to consider and report on the best means of promoting a more complete system of pharmaceutical education, and of pharmaceutical research." If anything like pharmaceutical education were included in the scheme he should give it his hearty support.

The PRESIDENT said the word "cducation" was a very wide one.

Mr. WILLIAMS thought it would be better not to mix up the two ideas, which were quite distinct.

The PRESIDENT said he saw no objection to the word "education" being inserted, but he should like Mr. Symes to state more distinctly what he desired. There were many ways of looking at this subject, and he did not want to commit the Council to anything definite, but rather that the Committee should consider the subject in its widest bearings. The educational aspect of the question was one which might fairly be considered with the others.

Mr. SYMES would like the scheme to comprise also the promotion of pharmaceutical education as well as pharmaceutical research. His experience was that young men were wofully deficient in their acquaintance with practical pharmacy, even after they had passed their examinations, because they had no opportunities of acquiring such knowledge.

Mr. Schacht said the words of the motion "That steps be taken for promoting systematic research," was rather begging the question. He advised that the Committee should be instructed to consider and report as to any possible means

whereby the Society could promote such research. He thought it would be a mistake for them to pledge themselves to promote research without knowing what they were going to investigate.

Mr. Hampson also argued that this was a vast and complicated scheme, and claimed that a scheme should be framed to carry out the object and submitted to the Council before committing themselves to anything. He moved an amendment

to that effect.

Mr. WILLIAMS seconded the President's motion. He said the advancement of chemistry and pharmacy was the first object of the charter, but this was their first attempt to carry it out. There would, no doubt, be practical difficulties in the way, but this resolution would commit the Council to no plan, but simply to the principle.

Mr. Symes moved an amendment intended to combine pharmaceutical education with the scheme. This was

seconded by Mr. SAVAGE.

Mr. Schacht said this was something quite different, and might be the subject of a new motion.

The PRESIDENT was willing to accept Mr. Schacht's

modification of his motion.

Mr. SQUIRE said the work Mr. Symes advocated ought to be carried out in the laboratory upstairs. Some more discussion followed, but ultimately Mr. Symes withdrew his amendment, and the following motion was unanimously agreed to:—

That the Library, Museum, and Laboratory Committee be instructed to consider and report by what means, if any, systematic research in pharmacy can be promoted by the Society, and report to the Council.

THE SIXTH INTERNATIONAL PHARMACEUTICAL CONGRESS.

The following gentlemen were appointed delegates to this Congress at Brussels: — The President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Messrs. Bottle, Butt, Greenish, Richardson, Symes, the Editor, Sub-Editor, and the Secretary.

## Pharmacentical Society of Freland.

THE monthly meeting of the Council was held on the 1st inst. The President, Mr. J. E. BRUNKER, M.A., in the chair.

A letter was read, reporting a case of alleged illegal compounding in Londonderry. The Registrar was directed to communicate with the writer on the subject, and authorise the taking of proceedings in the name of the Society.

A letter dated June 15 was received from Sir William Kaye, Q.C., Clerk of the Privy Council, in reply to one from the Registrar of June 8, written by direction of the Council, inquiring under what conditions as to emoluments and duties a visitor at the Society's examinations could be appointed by the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council under the powers vested in His Excellency by the 21st section of the Pharmacy Act. Sir W. Kaye's letter stated that it appeared, from a communication received from the English Privy Council, that the officers appointed to be present during the progress of examinations under the Pharmacy Act of Great Britain were paid a fee of five guineas for each examination that they attended.

On the motion of Mr. Allen, seconded by Mr. Doran, the Registrar was directed to write again to Sir W. Kaye, asking whether the appointment of such an officer would be attended with any expense to the Society.

Mr. Thomas R. Connolly, Kingstown, and Mr. Andrew McIlwaine, Newry, were admitted members of the Society. Some other business having been disposed of the Council

adjourned.

TRANSPARENT CEMENT FOR PORCELAIN.—Non-vulcanised indiarubber, 100 parts, dissolved in 85 parts of chloroform, and 20 parts of mastic added to the solution.—J. de Ph. &Als. et Lorr.

#### THE PHARMACEUTICAL SOCIETY AND ITS BY-LAWS.

THE adjourned special general meeting of the Society, to consider the by-laws proposed by the Council, was held on July 2. The President, Mr. Carteighe, was in the chair, and the attendance numbered between seventy and eighty. There was a small but very earnest contingent from Scotland, who came to protest against the suggested interference with their ancient rights and honours. The Scotch representatives were Messrs. Baildon and Mackenzic, of Edinburgh, Mr. Watt, of Haddington, and Mr. Storrar, of Kirkcaldy. These, with Messrs. Borland and Young, on the Council, all made speeches of considerable length, some indulging more than once, until the hungry meeting began to realise the truth of the national motto which Mr. Mackenzie quoted, Nemo me impune lacessit.

Discussion was first resumed on Mr. Martindale's amendment to the original motion, which proposed to return the by-laws to the Council for further consideration. Mr. Atkins (Vice-President) argued against Mr. Martindale's views, and also aimed to smooth the ruffled feelings of the northern section. He, like all the other speakers, maintained the deep mystery which surrounds this wonderful "Scotch difficulty," alluding to it as a problem which he hoped might be solved, "if gentlemen north and south of the Tweed would only bring a calm front and impartial judgment to bear upon the matter," and if time, consideration, patience, and a spirit of mutual conciliation were adopted.

Mr. Baildon pleaded for longer time, and Mr. Shenstone supported the curriculum. Mr. Hampson said he believed the Council were trying to do an illegal act, overstepping their legal powers, and for that reason he would vote for the amendment. Mr. Symes a little later supported the by-laws, and expressed his astonishment at the position Mr. Hampson had taken. Mr. Hampson was astonished that Mr. Symes was astonished, and it appeared that his inconvenient views were supported by Mr. Williams, Mr. Greenish, and Mr. Borland. Mr. Storrar meanwhile added his plea for delay, he, like Mr. Baildon, avoiding as too solemn a subject any clear exposition of the tremendous "Scotch difficulty," which it was supposed they had come to talk about.

Mr. Giles undertook to make everything clear, and was probably astonished to find that the debate continued after he had summed up. Mr. Spink wanted the solicitor to explain the legal position, but this was refused by the President. Mr. Martindale tried to get in a reply, but in this he was disappointed, as he was ruled out of order. After some words from the President, a vote was taken by show of hands, the amendment being rejected by forty-five

votes to seventeen.

Mr. Sandford then intervened, and clicited first that the new by-law introduced for the purpose of empowering the Council to appoint on committees persons outside their own body had not been read at the Council three times, as is required by the constitution of the Society. The President said it had been read as an amendment as the by-laws weut along, and he maintained that their action was legal, and said they had been so advised. Mr. Sandford then tried to move the rejection of this by-law as an amendment, but this was ruled not to be an amendment. The President, in this supported by the solicitor, said the meeting could veto the whole if they liked, but they could not accept some and reject the rest.

Mr. Sandford then wished to move as an amendment that the by-laws be rejected. This, being an obvious negative to the motion, was clearly not an amendment, but a great deal of discussion was necessary before Mr. Sandford could be persuaded to speak against the motion instead of moving an amendment. He did, however, so speak ultimately, and made a vigorous appeal to the meeting to reject the by-laws because of this one, which he regarded as likely to occasion bad feeling and disunion between the Conneil and the North British Branch.

Mr. Mackenzie and Mr. Watt presented the Scotch case, still with some vagueness; Mr. Urwick opposed the by-laws on the ground that he objected to the Council having power to appoint outsiders on committees; Mr. Martindale worked in at this point his reply on the amendment he had proposed; and then Mr. Young, "in a very few words," related the

history of the North British Branch. The "very few words" developed into a moderate sized lecture, and the audience grew impatient. Mr. Young's object seemed to be to show that the Seotch business was not carried on in a legal manner, and to urge that it was necessary to give power to the (Council to appoint a committee. The argument was quite pertinent to the motion, but even Mr. Young failed to show in any respect why it was necessary to change the name of North British Branch to that of Executive Committee, or to degrade the President to a chairman. It is these proposals, as we understand, that constitute the Scotch problem, and which nobody will explain to us.

Mr. Schacht, Mr. Andrews, and Mr. Baildon made speeches after this, but the meeting was thoroughly tired, no less than four hours having been occupied in this somewhat aimless discussion. The President, rightly appreciating the general weariness, hurried the vote, which resulted in forty-one votes to eleven in favour of the by-laws. Messrs. Baildon, Mackenzie, Storrar, and Watt requested that their protest against the resolution might be entered somewhere, and Mr. Lescher moved a vote of thanks to the President, which

was supposed to be carried.

## Probincial Reports.

#### BIRMINGHAM,

Notes written for THE CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST.

THIRTY YEARS in business and then an "honourable bank-ruptcy" has been the lot of an old-established chemist residing in the suburbs of Birmingham. The unanimity displayed at the first private meeting of creditors, the reasonable amount offered and accepted, and the sympathy expressed for the debtor, showed the esteem and respect in which the unfortunate chemist was held by his creditors. Where are we going? Whither are we drifting? are questions which are being seriously asked by not a few amongst us, especially the elder ones.

In the "Monthly Notes" in your issue of February last notice was taken of a chemist who had added dentistry to his business as an "auxiliary trade." The same chemist informs us that during the past six months the large number of 430 tooth extractions have passed through his hands. And still they come!

Rumour is current that a large company are about "running" another "store" in this town, in opposition to "Lewis" and the smaller "fry."

Mr. Tozer, Superintendent of the Birmingham Fire Brigade, has supplied to Messrs. Southall Brothers & Barclay one of his patent fire-escapes. This fire-escape is an improvement on the old-fashioned canvas "shoot," and by means of which a descent of 60 feet or more to terra firma can be made with ease, even by ladies, many of whom are employed in various ways at their factory.

We learn that Mr. C. G. F. Thonger, who was lately mentioned in this column as having distinguished himself at the Royal Agricultural College at Circncester, is the nephew, not the son, of Mr. G. Thonger, chemist, of Harborne.

To give some idea of the premises being built here for a future opponent to the drug trade, the following remarks may be quoted:—"Lawsuits have been threatened against the Corporation in connection with the lofty and palatial buildings in course of erection for Messrs. Lewis & Co., in Corporation Street, at the end of Bull Street. This grand structure towers above the surrounding buildings, being six storeys in height, and surmounted by a handsome observatory and immense stone griffins. Certain of the shopkeepers in Bull Street, however, complain that the building obstructs the light, and have made formal complaints to the officials of the Corporation. The latter point out that the shopkeepers have no ground for complaint, inasmuch as the Corporation have opened up a wide street, where no thoroughfare previously existed, and that they have really let in more light instead of darkening the prospect."

By many chemists the familiar face of Mr. Thomas W. Holdsworth, wholesale druggist, of this town will be misse. Mr. Holdsworth formerly conducted a retail business in New Street, which was disposed of to Mr. R. Walker (now of 95 Smallbrook Street); he then commenced as a wholesale druggist in the Upper Priory, and from there removed to Steel House Lane. After twenty years in the wholesale trade, he has relinquished that business to Messrs. Crooke & Taylor. The former is a pharmaceutical chemist, late of 270 Moseley Road, and the latter has been traveller for Mr. Holdsworth for some years. Mr. Holdsworth has given much time and service to the Chemists and Druggists' Trade Association, &c. His retirement into private life will be a well-earned

Mr. Welch, chemist, of 454 Moseley Road, has given up business and left the town.

Mr. F. W. Hooker has purchased the business of Mr. J. A. Davis (formerly A. L. Smith's), 86 Anderton Road, Sparkbrook.

Mr. T. Weaver, 53 Edward Street, Birmingham, has opened a branch establishment on the Parade in the royal town of Sutton Coldfield.

Mr. R. Bayley (late assistant in the wholesale department of Southall Brothers & Barclay) has purchased the business carried on by Mr. John Walton at 330 Victoria Road, Aston.

On Thursday, June 11, the goodwill, possession, &c., of the business lately carried on by Thomas Gilman, 78 Lichfield Road, were put up for sale by Messrs. Edwards, Son & Bigwood; and, although a large commanding shop and eommodious premises, of which a lease of twenty-one years would be granted, commencing at a rent of 1001. and increasing to 1201., as at many an auction of late, not a bid was obtained.

On June 26, after a long, lingering illness, in her 37th year, died Marianne, the beloved wife of Mr. George E. Perry, pharmaceutical chemist, Hagley Road.

CLEARING OFF AN OLD SCORE.—On June 24, before Mr. Kynnersley (stipendiary), James Miller, 62, no fixed abode, was charged with wilfully damaging a large plate-glass window, value 11\(lambda\_t\), the property of Mr. Gibson, pharmaceutical chemist, Gooch Street. Prisoner went into prosecutor's stop and asked for some money. This, however, Mr. Gibson refused, and the prisoner left the shop immediately, and, pieking up a large stone, threw it through Mr. Gibson's shop-window, completely smashing it. Mr. Cheatland stated that, on seeing the prisoner throw the stone, he asked him why he did it, when he replied, "Because he will not pay me the penny which he has owed me for the last thirty years." Prisoner: Yes; it is quite true. He (the prosecutor) has owed me a penny for thirty years, and I went to ask him for it and he refused to give it to me. Mr. Kynnersley sentenced the prisoner to two months' imprisonment, and remarked that that was not half enough, and he was sorry he was unable to pass a heavier sentence. Prisoner: Thank you, sir.

On June 22, at the Birmingham Bankruptcy Court, before Mr. Registrar Cole, George Fleet, oil and eolour merchant, 215 New John Street, West (who had been adjudicated a bankrupt on June 9 previous), was examined by the Official Receiver (Mr. L. J. Sharp); debts, 3201.; assets, 381. The bankrupt said he commenced business in 1870, and this was the third bankruptey petition he had filed. He first paid a composition of 6s. in the pound, and under the second, which was filed in 1883, he paid 2s. 6d. in the pound. In reply to further questions, the bankrupt admitted that half of his present liabilities were incurred since December last. He had had a distraint for rent for April last, amounting to 161. 10s., and had purchased a considerable quantity of goods since, which he had not paid for. He had kept no books, and was unable to account for more than about half the amount of the deficiency. The Official Receiver asked that the examination might be adjourned sine die.

A first meeting of the creditors of Henry Whittles, chemist and druggist, of 316 Wheeler Street, Lozells, Birmingham, was held on June 30, at the office of the Official Receiver in Bankruptcy (Mr. Luke J. Sharp), the Official Receiver presiding. The statement of affairs showed liabilities, 8131. and assets estimated to realise 5261. The Official Receiver's report showed that the debtor had been in business about

thirty years, having commenced in a shop in Broad Street. When he entered on business he had a capital of 435l., and subsequently acquired 200l. under the will of his father, and 3001. from the disposal of some property belonging to him. His health being affected, he purchased the business at Lozells, and for some time carried on the two businesses, but both suffered from his absence, caused by illness. In his absence the business at Lozells was carried on by his eldest son, who commenced the manufacture of lubricating oils and materials for preventing rust. Both these experiments failed, and much of the debtor's present liabilities was incurred in connection with them. After consultation among the creditors present and the representatives of the debtor—the state of the debtor's health not permitting his being presentit was agreed to accept a composition of 7s. 6d. in the pound, payable in three equal instalments, at one, four, and nine months' date, and secured. At the public examination on July 9, it was stated that the creditors had accepted the offer of 7s. 6d. in the pound. One of the largest creditors who was present said that he considered the debtor's position due to misfortune. Mr. Sharp said that other creditors were of a similar opinion. The Registrar expressed his sympathy with the debtor, and concluded the examination.

The adjourned examination of Thomas Gilman, druggist and drysalter, Lichfield Road and Gosta Green, has been further adjourned till July 13.

At Smethwick, on July 6, a married woman, named Eliza Jane Viney, drank a large quantity of carbolic acid, and died in great agony about two hours afterwards. She leaves a husband and nine children. At the inquest the jury found that she committed suicide while in an unsound state of mind.

PROPOSED EXCURSION.—At a meeting of the Council of the Midland Counties Chemists' Association on June 19, the President (Mr. Thomas Barclay) in the chair, a resolution was unanimously adopted, "That an excursion be held some time in August, and that the officers of the Association, together with Messrs. Ellis, Ground, Crooke, and Taylor, form a subcommittee for carrying out the necessary arrangements." We understand that Stratford-on-Avon is talked of for the excursion, and that a "single and married" cricket-match As being arranged. We are informed that the Birmingham chemists would be very glad if the chemists of neighbouring towns would join them. Any who wish to do so should write to the honorary secretary, Mr. Charles Thompson, Stratford Road, Sparkbrook, Birmingham. The Council also unanimously passed a resolution heartily inviting the British Pharmaceutical Conference to hold its meetings in Birmingham in 1886, and assuring the Executive of the Conference that should it accept the invitation every effort would be put forth to promote the success of the meetings.

#### BRIGHTON.

THEFT FROM A CHEMIST.—On June 17, Alfred Hayward, 15, who had been employed at the Sussex Co-operative Drug Stores, pleaded guilty to stealing a pair of opera-glasses, valued at 1*l*., from the shop of Mr. Weller, jeweller, of 8 Duke Street. He had taken the glasses whilst visiting the shop to sell some old silver. Supt. Gibbs said the boy had been convicted at Dover and had served several years in a reformatory, also that he had stolen the silver tops of some scent bottles at the Drug Stores, but the manager did not wish to prosecute. He was sentenced to one month's hard labour.

#### BOLTON.

News has been received of the death of Mr. William Hart, who some years ago carried on a successful business in Higher Bridge Street, but who, in consequence of failing health, left the town with his family for New Zealand some five years since. He died at Nelson, of consumption, on Easter Sunday last, April 5, in the 58th year of his age. Mr. Hart was esteemed in Bolton as an honourable and upright gentleman.

Mr. W. H. LEGAT, manufacturing chemist and wholesale druggist, Cross Axes, Deansgate, has removed to more spacious premises, St. George's Street, Bolton.

MR. JOHN PRIESTLEY, who died last month in his forty-third year, had been the proprietor of the chemist's business in Deansgate since 1868, and since 1878 had also been the proprietor of the Commercial Hotel. He occupied a prominent position in the town, and for some years had been chairman of one of the Conservative associations.

#### CANTERBURY.

SUICIDE OF A DRUGGIST.—A sensation was caused in Canterbury on Sunday, the 5th inst., by the suicide of Mr. J. Ramsay Cooper, inventor of the new phonic system of teaching reading, which has lately been adopted in many of the principal elementary schools in London and throughout the country. Mr. Cooper was a leading citizen, and for many years carried on an extensive business as chemist and druggist. On the Sunday morning he attended Divine worship at the Congregational Church, and about half-anhour after his return home rushed out of his house, and meeting a police-constable said he had taken a dose of 16 grains of strychnine. He was at once conveyed to the police-station, and the police surgeon (Dr. Holttum) summoned, but notwithstanding the administration of emetics he died in about three hours in a state of madness. Mr. Cooper. it is understood, filed his petition a few days ago, his liabilities, it is stated, amounting to several thousands.

#### DUDLEY.

"RINGING THE CHANGES."—At the police court, June 15, Maria Jones (39), married woman, of Dibdale Bank, was charged with stealing a florin by means of ringing the changes. She tendered a florin in payment for a small purchase made at the shop of Mr. White, chemist, &c. Whilst putting the things she had bought into her bag, she took up the change and the florin; the latter she had kept under her finger on the counter. The police being called in, defendant offered to give up the money. As she had attempted the same trick on another tradesman she was given into custody, and after being brought before the magistrates, was committed for trial.

#### DOVER.

SUPPLYING CHROMATE OF POTASH FOR SULPHUR.—On May 28 a young woman named Rolfe, residing in Snargate Street, had a narrow escape from being poisoned. She had purchased some sulphur from Mr. Watts, herbalist, and took a teaspoonful in half a tumbler of water. She immediately commenced to vomit violently and to show symptoms of extreme irritation, and Dr. Osborne was called in and attended her. The vomiting probably saved the young woman's life, but she remained in a prostrate condition for a considerable time. On the powder being sent to Mr. Brown's, chemist, Market Square, to be analysed, it was found to be yellow chromate of potash, and not sulphur. Mr. Watts stated that it was supplied to him for sulphur.

#### LEICESTER.

POISONED BY ALMOND FLAVOURING.—An inquest was held, June 15, on the body of a boy named Townsend, who was accidentally poisoned under most distressing circumstances. On the Saturday previous, June 13, the lad saw some almond flavouring in a glass, at d, being tempted by its colour, drank it. He became suddenly ill, and although medical aid was promptly summoned, death ensued in less than twentyminutes. Verdict, "Accidental death."

#### LIVERPOOL.

FAILURE OF STORES.—The affairs of Henry Bennett, who has been carrying on an extensive business under the title of the London and Westminster Supply Association in Deane Street, came before the Bankruptcy Court on June 22. This was after ineffectual attempts had been made to dispose of the business as a going concern. The liabilities are estimated at 14,000*l.*, and the assets at about half that sum. The creditors over 100*l.* are the following:—James Cooper, London, about 4,000*l.*; C. Birchall, Liverpool, about 200*l.*; Rose & Co., London, 200*l.*; Charles Smith, Liverpool, 200*l.*; Thomas Borthwick, Liverpool, 190*l.*; R. Wotherspoon & Co., Glasgow,

170*l.*; Potter & Lee, London, 150*l.*; E. Wolfgang & Co. Liverpool, 110*l.*; Billing, Son, & Co., Birmingham, 104*l.* 7s. 2d. The other creditors connected with the drug and chemical trade are Bryant and May, 47*l.*; A. B. Fordham, London, 32*l.*; John Thompson, Liverpool, 22*l.*; and Ayrton & Saunders, Liverpool, 16*l.* The claim of James Cooper, who is a tea merchant of London, is disputed, and efforts are being made to prove him to have been a partner. He was certainly one of the successors to the London and Westminster Supply Association Limited, who established the concern in Liverpool, but he alleges that he sold it to Bennett, who was his manager in 1882. In two years and nine months Bennett's sales amounted to 110,000*l.* The affairs are being investigated by a committee.

#### SCOTLAND.

ABERDEEN.-The Aberdeen and North of Scotland Society of Chemists and Druggists, acting for the British Pharmaceutical Conference, are making extensive preparations for the forthcoming meeting in September. A commodious hall has been secured, and also accommodation for a limited number in the Palace Hotel. This hotel will be the head-quarters, and luncheon will be served here daily. It so happens that the annual dinner of the Society occurs about the time of the meeting, and to this festive board visitors are to be invited. Arrangements have been made for visiting several factories (comb, paper, and textile fabrics) and also gramite-works. The inevitable excursion takes place on granite-works. September 10, the place chosen being Braemar. Excursionists will proceed from Aberdeen by special train to Ballater, and thence to Braemar in coaches and other vehicles of that nature. The coach-drive is a very fine one; visitors will see on the route Balmoral, Invercauld House, and other fine residences. The drive from Balmoral to Braemar (known as the "Queen's drive") is very fine, and the scenery forms a mine to the guide-book writer. Braemar itself is a pretty little village, and any visitors who have a few days to spare might make it the centre for several short walks to favoured spots, such as the Linn o' Dee, Falls of Corrymulzie, &c. Lochnagar may be taken from Braemar, there and back, in a day. Pedestrians can have their heart's content of excursions over hill and moor, the best walk in the district being that through Glen Tilt to Blair Athole, a journey of somewhat over thirty miles. A delightful coach-drive is that through Glen Shee, by way of the Deil's Elbuck, to Blairgowrie. Here one can rest overnight, visit Craighall (a second Hawthoruden), then catch the mail southwards at Coupar Angus.

There is ample hotel and boarding-house accommodation at Braemar. It would appear that there is to be a run on the Aberdeen hotels; visitors should, therefore, communicate as soon as possible with Mr. Alexander Strachan, the local secretary. The Hydropathic Establishment, Heathcote (near Aberdeen), affords good accommodation, and is a pleasant getreat.

The Elgin Chemists' Assistants' and Apprentices' Association has lately closed its first session. On the whole, the venture has been eminently successful, and many good and practical papers have been read at the weekly meetings, During the summer recess the members are to make botanical excursions, and no doubt they will begin next winter's labours with renewed vigour.

Mr. A. Govan Reid, lately manager to Mr. A. Y. MacFarlane, Edinburgh, has opened a pharmacy in Stornoway. This is an out-of-the-way corner, but it is a busy place at certain times of the year with the fishing industry and the annual training of the Naval Reserve.

Mr. R. I. Macdougal has also opened a pharmacy in the Links district of Leith, and Mr. T. S. Miller, who lately disposed of his Broughty Ferry business to Mr. E. Fleming, has secured premises in Charing Cross, Glasgow, for another pharmacy.

The drug business in Glasgow is very much cut up by drapers, grocers, and the like. Thirteenpence-halfpenny patents can be got at fivepence less than that figure, and other articles at proportionately low rates. This is felt very keenly by the legitimate trade, but no common action has been taken against it.

The same thing on a large scale is being tried in Edinburgh by Inman & Co., who have commodious premises in Leith Street. Their prices are higher, and they do not appear to be overwhelmed with business.

The medical-man druggist seems to have a poor field in Port Glasgow. A drug business there, which has been in the hands of medical men for half a century, can be had at present for ahout 70l. This includes, presumably, the "professional" practice.

It is reported that a firm of wine merchants in Leith has been caught by the Inland Revenue officers. The firm could not satisfactorily account for the large quantities of methylated spirit which they had purchased in gallon lots, and it is supposed that it had got mixed (accidentally or otherwise) with the national beverage. Bankruptcy and a threatened fine of five figures are the consequence.

Amongst recent deaths in the Scotch drug trade we notice that of Mr. John Crarer, pharmaceutical chemist, Blairgowrie. Mr. Crarer was at one time an assistant to the late Mr. Hamilton, Dundee, with whom he acquired an intelligent knowledge of pharmacy. He started in business at Blairgowrie more than thirty years ago, and succeeded remarkably well. For several years before his death Mr. Crarer was in failing health. We regret to record the death of another country chemist, Mr. George Waldie, of Linlithgow, who died on June 21, after a few days' illness. Mr. Waldie was a brother of Dr. David Waldie, of Calcutta, who suggested to the late Sir James Simpson the use of chloroform as an anæsthetic. Mr. Waldie took over his brother's business, and succeeded also to the printing business of his father, both of which he carried on. He was the author of several works of antiquarian and historical interest, and was much respected by his townsmen.

POISONING.—The following are samples of cases which appear in the Scotch papers. On the 30th ult. a young married woman, named Mary Ross, residing in Ardgowan Street, Port Glasgow, being unwell and confined to bed, drank some poisonous liquid accidentally, it is believed, which was to be used externally, and died within half an hour after-The matter has been reported to the Procurator-Fiscal. Alexander Reid, a farm servant in the employment of Mr. Duncan, Durno, committed suicide on the 7th inst., in an outhouse of the Strathbogie Arms, by swallowing a quantity of laudanum. This is the last that the public is likely to hear of these cases. In Scotland there is no coroner's inquest; the Procurator-Fiscal inquires into such matters quietly, and any party who has been indiscreet or flagrantly careless in the sale or storing of poisons is sure to have a lasting impression made upon him by the Fiscal.

#### SHEFFIELD.

Poisoning Fish.—Several times recently fish in preserved streams around Sheffield have been poisoned. On May 30 last a keeper ou the Duke of Leeds' estate at Anston, Stones, saw two men taking trout from the stream. They had bagged fifty-seven fine fish, and many more were floating, having been poisoned with chloride of lime. On Saturday, June 13, two men, named Dutton and Caudling, were arrested in Sheffield on the charge, the keeper having identified them.

#### SOLIHULL.

Wholesale Fish-poisoning.—At the Solihull Police Court, June 24, George Taylor, alias Smith, of Yardley, was charged with poisoning upwards of 1,000 fish in Long Brook, Balsall, the property of Mr. R. Lant. Prisoner was caught in the act of poisoning the stream with chloride of lime. He was committed for trial, and was there sentenced to twelve months' hard labour.

#### COUNTY WICKLOW.

THE Hon. Mrs. Blacker, sister of Lord Cloncurry, died at Lord Monck's residence, near Charleville, county Wicklow, on Sunday, June 21, from an overdose of laudanum, which was taken to procure sleep.

#### WEDNESBURY.

STILL THEY Go.—On Wednesday, June 17, the goodwill and possession, with the use of the fixtures, together with the stock-in-trade, utensils, effects, &c., of Mr. Adam Smith, chemist, &c., Wednesbury, were put up to public auction by Mr. E. Cox, acting upon Mr. Smith's order. We also note that a lady chemist in this town wishes to dispose of her business.

#### WOLVERHAMPTON.

TAKING POISON BY MISTAKE.—Mr. E. B. Thorneycroft held an inquest at Four Ashes, on Friday, June 26, on the body of James Jervis (74), a labourer, who resided at that place, and who had died from taking poison. The deceased suffered from asthma, and by mistake took a dose of liquid from a bottle marked "Poison," and which was intended for external application only. A verdict was returned that death had arisen from misadventure.

#### BRITISH PHARMACEUTICAL CONFERENCE.

A MEETING of the Executive Committee was held at 17 Bloomsbury Square, W.C., on Wednesday, June 17, at 4 P.M.

Present:—Professor Attfield (Vice-President), in the chair; Messrs. Benger, Carteighe, Ekin, Groves, Hills, Naylor, and Symons, and Mr. Plowman and Dr. Thresh (hon. gen. secs.).

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Letters regretting inability to attend were read from Mr. Stephenson (President), and Messrs. Borland, Brunker, Dott, Sim, and Strachan.

The Committee considered the proposed local arrangements for the Aberdeen meeting, and the correspondence on the subject which had passed between Mr. Strachan (local secretary) and Mr. Plowman. The suggested arrangements were generally approved, but the Committee deprecated the proposed expenditure on the entertainment of visitors. It was stated that a limited number of beds at a fixed tariff had been secured at the Palace Hotel, that arrangements had

proposed expenditure on the entertainment of visitors. It was stated that a limited number of beds at a fixed tariff had been secured at the Palace Hotel, that arrangements had been made for visiting the cotton and woollen manufactories, and the paper, comb, and granite works in the neighbourhood. That an excursion had been arranged on the 10th to Braemar, where visitors would be entertained at luncheon. Visiting members would also be invited to the annual dinner of the Aberdeen and North of Scotland Society of Chemists and Druggists.

The place of meeting in 1886 was considered, and Mr. Plowman reported that he had had some correspondence with Mr. Thomas Barclay, of Birmingham, on the subject.

The postage of the Year Book to the colonies and abroad was considered, and it was suggested that the subscription of members residing abroad should be the same as that of home members, irrespective of the extra postage. The further consideration of this was deferred until after the preparation of the financial statement for the current year.

The case of a member improperly using the title M.B.P.C. was considered, and full power was given to the hon. gen. secs. to deal with the case, and, if necessary, remove the

name from the list of members.

A meeting of the Sub-committee appointed to arrange details in connection with the General Index was subsequently held. Present:—Mr. Groves (in the chair), Messrs. Benger, Carteighe, Drs. Attfield and Thresh, and Mr. Plowman (secretary). A compiler was appointed, and arrangements as far as possible were completed for carrying on the work, and it was decided that the index of the forthcoming 1885 volume should be included.

COMBES' APERIENT. — Sulphate of magnesia, 35 parts; roasted coffee, 40 parts; boiling water, 500 parts. Boil for two minutes, filter, and sweeten to taste with white sugar. One wineglassful in the morning fasting.—Health.

#### SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY.

#### FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING.

ON July 7, the fifth annual meeting of the Society of Chemical Industry was held in one of the fine lecture halls of the City and Guilds of London Institute, South Kensington. About a hundred gentlemen were present, and there was a marked air of briskness and prosperity about the whole proceedings, extending from the report and balance sheet to the officers and ordinary members, and even to the "alkali makers that live upon hope." The success of the Society has been remarkable. There are now 2,090 members, 353 having been elected since the last annual meeting, and the catholicity of the Society was shown by the special occupations of the more prominent members who have been lost by death during the year. Dr. Voelcker represented agriculture, Mr. Sidney Gilchrist Thomas the iron trade, and Mr. G. W. Wigner was founder and president of the Society of Public Analysts.

New sections have been established in Nottingham and in the Bristol and South Wales district. Seventy-one papers have been read before the various sections. The Journal shows such tendency to increase in bulk that a sub-committee has been appointed to prune redundant discussion and generally check verbosity. The cost of the journal has been 1,7871., exclusive of salaries; the returns for advertisements and sales 4891. Some parts of the first volume have been reprinted at the cost of 1281. This is the chief item of expenditure in the balance sheet, and has reduced the balance in the hands of the treasurer by 1671, but it is expected that the increased number of members and some economies will prevent the recurrence of this decline.

By a stroke of what we must call audacity, the Society had persuaded the authorities of the International Inventions Exhibition to issue tickets to members at half-price, and 150 have been sold. The balance sheet showed subscriptions and life fees 2,032*l*. 15s. 6d.; balance in hand, 936*l*. 13s. 7d.; Journal and interest, 507*l*. 9s. 2d.; total, 3,477*l*. 18s. 9d. The expenses of the sections have been 226*l*. 1s. 4d.

Mr. Ward, of Leeds, and Mr. Robbins, of London were appointed scrutineers, and it was afterwards announced that the officers and Council of the Society for the coming year would be as follows:—President, E. K. Muspratt; vice-presidents, Sir F. A. Abel, D.C.L., F.R S., I. Lowthian Bell, F.R.S., Alexander M. Chance, Professor James Dewar, F.R.S., James Duncan, David Gamble, Dr. Peter Griess, F.R.S., Dr. W. H. Perkin, F.R.S., John Spiller, E. C. C. Stanford, J. C. Stevenson, M.P., Walter Weldon, F.R.S.; Members of Council, R. Forbes Carpenter, Henry Doulton, Dr. John Evans, F.R.S., Ivan Levinstein, Dr. R. Messel, B. E. R. Newlands, Thomas Royle, Dr. S. A. Sadler, Sir Bernard Samuelson, Bart, M.P., Charles Tennant, M.P., Professor W. A. Tilden, F.R.S., John Williams; treasurer, E. Rider Cook; foreign secretary, Ludwig Mond.

#### DR. PERKIN ON COAL TAR COLOURS

Dr. W. H. Perkin then delivered his presidential address, choosing for his theme the discovery and manufacture of the coal-tar colours. These should always be of special interest to pharmacists, as their discovery was an "accident" in an attempt at the synthesis of quinine. The address was afterwards described by Sir Frederick Abel as a romance as interesting as any of the "Arabian Nights Entertainments," but abounding in valuable practical applications, and told by its chief hero. Undoubtedly the material, in the hands of a practised story teller could be made to fascinate even the general public, but it is in no wise derogatory to Dr. Perkin to say that his life-long devotion to science, and the habit it engenders of cool, restrained statement, robbed the address of those features that appeal to "the laity." Its appreciation needed the seeing eye and the understanding heart, and the attitude of the remainder was well expressed by Mr. J. C. Stevenson, M.P., who moved the vote of thanks to the retiring president, as that of bewildered awe at the ease with which the complex masses of C's and H's and O's had been handled in the address. It is only twenty-nine years

since the patent was taken out for mauveine, the first coaltar colour. It proved such an enormous stimulus to the study of coal tar, that at one time it was feared in Germany that the study of chemistry as a science would be seriously injured, and discoveries occurred so rapidly in so many branches of the subject that the history became extremely complicated. Dr. Perkin on this account took as the basis of his address the groups to which the various colours are



Dr. W. H. PERKIN, F.R.S., President.

now known to belong. We cannot hope to produce anything like an intelligible summary, so will simply allude to some of

the topics introduced. When aniline manve was first introduced, the demand of dyers and the public was for colours that would resist light, soap, and bleaching powder. It so happened that mauve answered these requirements, and proved to be the fastest purple yet introduced. It brought in a taste for bright colours, which allowed them to be more fugitive. If it had

itself proved fugitive the whole history of the industry would have been very different.

The importance of the dye was quickly recognised in France; it was manufactured there and sent to this country in defiance of patent rights. At first responsible agents were employed, and these were proceeded against by law, heavy damages being obtained. Thereupon the foreigners ceased to employ responsible agents, and dealt directly with the consumer. It was then impossible to get any redress. The patentee had the burden of proving first that the article was not made by him, while the dyer was probably using more or less of the legitimate manufacture; and, secondly, that it was made by the patented process, while all the secondary products had been removed. No assistance could be obtained from the Customs, and the packages were generally marked "Vegetable Colours."

The alizarine industry is one of the most important branches. Six thousand tons of 30 per cent. anthracene the raw material—are annually produced in this country—at least a thousand tons more than is wanted. It is separated from the last runnings of the tar distiller. The alizarine is now made in three factories in this country, and has almost entirely destroyed the cultivation of madder throughout

Europe.

It is well known that the manufacture of these colours is now chiefly in the hands of the Germans, though the greater quantity is consumed in this country. The reasons for this have been partly the patent laws, which expose a

patentee to the competition of manufacturers of all countries except his own; partly to the false security of English chemical manufacturers, who have considered their preeminence too safe to need further research to preserve it: partly the want of efficient men, and the readiness to pay such men sufficient salaries to tempt them into the occupation; and partly the want of educational facilities. Technical education, unless carried out on a much broader and more scientific basis than at present will be of little use. Published processes are antiquated; new ones are kept secret as long as possible. Time should be devoted to obtaining a thorough knowledge of chemical science, and a general acquaintance with physics, engineering, &c., with a study of the way in which chemical operations in several branches are carried out on a large scale. Such a course cannot be carried out in three mouths; that devised and in operation at the Central Institute of the City and Guilds of London Institute occupies three years.

#### NEXT PLACE OF MEETING.

On the motion of Mr. E. K. Muspratt, the newly elected President, it was resolved that the next meeting should be held at Liverpool, which divides with Widnes the honour of being the birthplace of the Society. Mr. David Howard, President of the London section, suggested at this point that the rule established by custom of meeting alternately in London and the Provinces would have to be modified, as the London secretary, Mr. Tyrer, had found very great difficulty in arranging an interesting programme of works to be visited. He would not undertake for 500l. in hard cash the work thrown on the Secretary.

#### HEATING BY RADIATION FROM FLAME.

It will be remembered that at the first meeting of the Society in London, the late Sir Wm. Siemens read a very interesting paper on regenerative furnaces, in which coal gas is used as fuel. His brother, Mr. F. Siemens, had prepared for the present meeting a paper "On heating regenerative gas furnaces by radiation from flame, and on a producer to supply gas specially suitable for that purpose, and for the recovery of bye-products." The paper was read. in Mr. Siemens' absence, by Mr. Head, his chief assistant in We cannot follow the author through all the details, but the principles involved may be suggestive. A distinction is first drawn between two periods in the history of the flame. The first is the period of active combustion, when the flame contains quantities of incandescent carbon, radiating heat in all directions. At this period, a body cooler than the flame inserted therein is rapidly covered with soot, which prevents the passage of the heat rays, and when heated to the same temperature its surface is speedily injured by the mechanical effect of the flame. In the second period the products of combustion alone have to be dealt with; they are entirely gaseous, and contain much of the heat produced by combustion. "While chemical action is proceeding, the flame ought to be allowed elear space within which to burn; it should not be interfered with by surfaces of any kind, and it should be allowed freely to emit its radiant heat; whereas the products of combustion, having very little power of radiation, and not injuring surfaces upon which they impinge, should be brought into contact with the surfaces to be heated, for the purpose of abstracting their radiant heat.

This principle has been applied in the manufacture of steel and of glass with very remarkable results in the way of economy of fuel and endurance of furnaces. And its application has just been extended most ingeniously to tubular boilers. It [would seem impossible to send a gas flame through a narrow tube in such a way that the flame should not be allowed to touch the sides, which should remain quite free from soot. But a working model was shown in which this extraordinary result was produced by the simplest means. At intervals of 3 or 4 diameters in a glass tube, short sections of a cone are introduced, constricting the area of the tube to a small extent. The rushing cylinder of gas and flame is made eone-shaped at these points, and before it has time to expand and touch the sides it reaches another constriction. No stain appeared on the glass, which

rapidly heated.

The meeting adjourned, after the usual formalities, till 6:30, at the Freemasons' Tavern. The interval was filled by many with a visit to the International Exhibition. In the chemical section it was noticed with interest that the exhibit of the Anilin und Soda Fabrik, and the catalogue of it, which has been printed, afforded an almost complete summary of the President's address. The catalogue is arranged in groups, sections, and exhibits, followed by references to patents and literature, and is a model for catalogues prepared for experts. To the public it will provide but little edification, and although exhibitions may be somewhat overdone, it is quite clear that exhibitors as a rule have not yet learnt how to make the most of their exhibits.

#### THE ANNUAL DINNER'

At 6.30, about 140 chemists with their friends assembled at the Freemasons' Tavern. Among the pharmacists present were Messrs. Carteighe, Savory, Squire, Butt, Robbins, Naylor, Stanford, J. Williams, Hopkins, A. Zimmermann, David Howard, Francis, Boverton Redwood, Greenhough, &c.

The menu and toast list was adorned with a striking portrait of the President, Dr. Perkin, a repetition of the feature first introduced at the annual dinner held in London two years ago. On that occasion Dalton's portrait was presented to the guests, and has since, we believe, been preserved by many as a memento. The dinner received all the attention that it could expect from men of science, and was apparently uncriticised and enjoyed. After two hours' attention to this business, those present sought recreation in speeches. The chairman proposed the usual loyal toast, which was drunk with musical honours, and instrumental accompaniment by Mr. Cresswell, the secretary of the Society.

Mr. E. Rider Cook, treasurer, proposed "the Houses of Parliament," hoping that the House of Lords might soon be placed on as scientific a basis as the House of Commons. Coupled with the toast was the name of Sir J. MrG. Hogg, M.P., chairman of the Metropolitan Board of Works, who was claimed as a manufacturing chemist on the ground of the disinfectants manufactured at Barking, for the deodorisation of the London sewage. Sir J. M. Hogg, in the course of a vigorous defence of the House of Lords, brought down the house by naïvely remarking "I'm a Con-

servative; as you may have found out." The Germans, who are always with us, at scientific gatherings at least, were very prominent. Mr. Ludwig Mond, foreign secretary, proposed, in his maiden toast, success to the learned societies, coupling with it the names of Dr. Hugo Müller, president of the Chemical Society, and Dr. W. Odling, president of the Institute of Chemistry. The speeches of Mr. Mond, Dr. Müller, and, later on, of Dr. Loewenherz, who responded for the guests, raised the question in the minds of more than one, how many Englishmen in the room could speak in German with as much readiness and idiomatic accuracy as these gentlemen. Dr. W. Odling, who looked as if he enjoyed the joke, ingeniously led his hearers through commercial and professional services and remuneration to the announcement that the Institute of Chemistry had now 400 members, and was on the point of receiving a Royal Charter. The success of the Institute had been desired and could be made certain by members of the Society of Chemical Industry. Now it was about to start on a new course, some concession on the part of the Institute, and advances on the part of the Society might bring within the former every or nearly every professional chemist in the country.

Mr. Walter Weldon, as the historian of the decline and fall (or rise and progress?) of the alkali trade, eclipses himself as an after-dinner speaker. He displayed equal ingenuity in soliciting subscriptions towards the statue of Nicholas Leblanc, in the course of an elaborate eulogy of the newly-elected President, Mr. E. K. Muspratt. This gentleman was lauded as a manufacturer who made alkali by the Leblanc process, if it could not be said with profit, yet at least without disaster; as the contributor of 50% to the Leblanc statue fund; as the son of Mr. James Muspratt, still among us, the first maker in England of Leblanc soda on the large scale, and as of a courage equal to that of the youngest member of the new Administration, displayed in allowing himself to be nominated in succession to the distinguished (indeed, almost

superhuman) Presidents who had gone before. The last adjective must be taken as a brief summary of Mr. Weldon's panegyric on past Presidents. Mr. Muspratt, in reply, admitted his audacity, and made it his plea for the consideration of the members, asserting that none should surpass him in zeal or effort for the success of the Society.

Sir Frederick Abel ("the only man living who had been President of all three Chemical Societies") proposed the health of the President in a speech graceful, pointed, and exactly suited to his purpose. He felt old, for when a youngster in science he had examined Dr. Perkin at the London College, and yet young, for, though little younger than himself, Dr. Perkin still continued his course of scientific discovery. The President, evidently touched by the warmth of his reception, responded in simple words.

Mr. David Howard, in a felicitous speech, with apt allusions to classical history, proposed the health of the guests, claiming relationship with the Germans, first, because one of an old branch of the Teutonic stock, and, secondly, because his chemical science, like that of many others, had been drawn from Teutonic sources at the feet of Dr. Hoffman. Dr. Loewehberz responded as a physicist who still had many

dealings with chemists and with Englishmen.

Dr. Perkin, as retiring President, then proposed the health of the officers of the Society; of Mr. Rider Cook, the treasurer; of Mr. Tyrer, the London secretary, "who never tires"; of Mr. Watson Smith, the editor of the Journal; and of others. The last-named gentleman was down to reply, and did so, mentioning the officers with whom he had most to do, the abstractors, and Mr. Renaut, who compiled the patent list; but there were calls from all sides for Mr. Tyrer. He yielded to the demand, congratulating the Society that accidental neighbourhood of seats had that night reconciled two old friends who had not spoken for years. He then transferred all the honour that was done to him to the Presidents and the by-laws; he had taken his cue from the former, and this was the only credit he could claim

During the evening Mr. F. J. M. Page sang two songs, and duets on the violin and piano were twice performed by Mr. A. Zimmermann and Herr Max Schrattenholz. Mr. Zimmermann's playing was that of a cultured enthusiast, and was far above that of an amateur; while Herr Schrattenholz's accompaniments showed that they were not the only performances of which he was capable.

#### THE EXCURSIONS.

#### Manufacture of Rice Starch.

On July 8 the Society met at the very old established works of Messrs. Orlando Jones & Co., Wandsworth, where they were received very courteously by Mr. Revill, the senior partner. The specialty of the firm is rice-starch, for laundry use, but Chapman's wheat-flour, cleaned rice, and crushed maize for saccharine-makers are also among their products. The works were evidently not constructed with a view to entertaining large parties of visitors, but the urbanity and communicativeness of the guides went as far as possible to obviate all inconveniences. Rice is bought in the husk, husked in the rice-mills on the premises, and separated into large and small grains; the large are sold for use as rice, the small, as a matter of economy, converted into starch. It is first ground, then treated with a very dilute. solution of caustic soda to dissolve out the gluten. This solution is run off and wasted. Many experiments have been made, but without success, to discover a method of recovering the gluten. After various washings with dilute soda the. mixture is run into settling-tubs, and kept gently agitated by revolving stirrers to allow the fibre to settle, while the starch is still in suspension. The starch and water is then syhoned to other tubs, where it is allowed to deposit. Thethick pasty mass is dried in centrifugal machines until of sufficient consistency to be made into cubes of 6 or 8 inch side. These are dried to a certain degree in stoves heated by steam, and are then transferred to the hands of girls, who with large knives trim off the slightly-discoloured surface. One or two strokes of the knife are enough to slice off the whole of a side. The cubes are then wrapped in glazed paper and stacked in store-rooms maintained at a gentle

heat, where they remain for at least three weeks, gently drying. When the parcels are opened after this period, it is found that the starch, without any further treatment, has broken up into the well-known columnar pieces. It is noticeable that the ends of the columns are at the surface. the fissures extending at right angles thereto. The process is not one of crystallisation, properly so called, but is apparently the same that produced the curious structure of the basalt at the Giant's Causeway, and may be seen in action on mudbanks drying when the river is low. The fibre which deposits first from the rice is sold in the moist state to pig-keepers in the neighbourhood, in the same way as brewers' grains. Some of it is dried, ground, and sold to paper-makers for giving body to paper.

The system adopted of filtering Thames water to make it fit for use in the rather delicate process of starch-making is believed to be unique. A series of tanks 13 feet deep are erected one above another in a tower. These are filled with crushed coke. Water is admitted at the bottom of each tank and percolates upwards, depositing its mechanical impurities in the coke. Twice a day the current is reversed, the deposited matter is washed away, and returns to the river. The coke lasts six weeks before it needs renewal, and

when used up is burnt.

The patent for Chapman's wheat-flour was purchased by the firm about fifteen years ago, and a steady business has been done in it ever since without any pushing. Its manua facture is very simple. When wheat is ground the husk is separated in the scales which are known as "bran," and no amount of grinding while still mixed with the farinaceous parts can reduce it to a finer state of division. When sifted out, however, it can be reduced to flour, and this is the fact taken advantage of. The separated bran is reduced to a fine powder, and is then re-mixed with the flour from which it was taken, and, without any other treatment, becomes "Chapman's Wheat-flour." The irritating character of the bran is entirely removed, and the valuable phosphates and other mineral bone-producing matters usually rejected in the bran are restored to the flour. There can hardly be a simpler or more nutritious food.

A vote of thanks to Mr. Revill, as senior partner in the firm, was proposed by Mr. Tyrer and carried by acclamation.

The party then went by train to St. Mary's Cray, the train service being of the description usually provided by the London, Chatham, and Dover Railway. Messrs. Joynson & Co., the renowned paper manufacturers, had thrown open their extensive mills and provided the members with a substantial cold lunch under cover. After lunch the party was conducted through the mills, which are remarkably clean and solidly built. The firm manufacture only high-class writingpaper, which has been held in high estcem for more than one generation.

The materials used are linen and cotton rags in various proportions. In the warehouse were stored no less than The rags are cut up by women and girls, who stand before 600 tons, the bales being piled layer upon layer high over head. a table on which a keen, scythe-like blade is fixed, with the edge away from the worker. The rags, roughly sorted, are taken in the two hands and drawn against the knife-edge, cutting them into pieces about 2 inches square, more or less. They are then placed in a revolving sieve with rather large apertures, which shakes out the dust. This is sold to farmers as manure and to makers of inferior paper. Next the rags are boiled with soda to remove all grease and dirt. They are then washed two or three times. After the final bleaching, they are transferred to tubs, in the radius of which a cylinder revolves. The circumference of the cylinder is set with steel knives, parallel with the axis, and at regular distances. As the cylinder revolves in the mixture of rag and water the rags are caught between the knives and a steel plate. After long chopping here they are transferred to other similar machines in which the knives are of brass, sharper, and set closer together. The rags pass through eight of these in succession, remaining an hour in each, and when the last is reached the mixture should be in such a fine state of division that if a quantity is mixed with a larger quantity of water it can be poured from one vessel to another without showing any little lumps. It is then run off into a large vat capable of holding the contents of eight tubs, and is there kept | ments.

agitated by a mechanical stirrer. In this receptacle the ingredients are mixed according to the quality of the paper to be produced. Next it is run to the paper-making machine. which is designed to make a continuous roll of paper so long as it is supplied with the fibre. The mixture of fibre and water, about as thick as cream, flows first over an endless band of wire cloth, on which it forms a layer of the necessary thickness. By the time the roller over which the band revolves is reached the greater part of the water is drained away, and the damp, porous sheet of paper is of sufficient tenacity to bear a journey over and under a succession of cylinders heated by steam, which dry it more thoroughly. The next process is sizing. The size for the best papers is always prepared from raw hide. This arrives fresh at the works from London at regular periods, but in case the supply should fail a stock of dried hide is kept. The size is made by a simple process of boiling the hide with water. When a sheet of absorbent paper is dipped bodily in the size the air in the pores has no chance of escape, and keeps the size from penetrating the substance of the paper, so that, when written upon, the ink soaks through to the other surface. To avoid this difficulty an ingenious device is used. Two or three cylinders revolve partly immersed in the size. The sheet of paper travels first over these, the size saturating its under surface, and gradually forcing the air out of the pores; then comes total immersion under another roller, and a long process of drying, in which the paper travels half a mile over and under 241 cylindrical wire cages, arranged in seven storeys, one above another, in an atmosphere warmed sufficiently to dry it thoroughly by the time it leaves the last. Before this stage is reached the sheet has been divided by revolving knives into two or more strips, according to the extreme width of paper to be made. Nothing now remains but the polishing. First the paper, cut into sheets, is passed between highly-polished steel rollers, whence it emerges much denser and with a smooth surface. Finally, a pile is made, consisting of a sheet of polished copper, a sheet of paper, more copper, and so on, the whole being passed between a pair of heavy rollers. The brilliant surface thus produced is a remarkable advance on that which, to the unitiated, already looked like a fine finish

#### THE CONVERSAZIONE.

On Wednesday evening, July 8, a conversazione was held at the Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colours, Piccadilly. To add to the success and pleasure of this assembly it had been arranged, as on some previous occasions, that the three chemical societies of London should unite their forces. The guests were therefore received by Dr. Hugo Müller, president of the Chemical Society; Dr. Odling, president of the Institute of Chemistry; and Dr. Perkin, president of the Society of Chemical Industry. The company included a great number of the eminent chemical workers of London and of the provinces, and, besides the beautiful collection of paintings which formed the background, a liberal provision of vocal and instrumental music added to the liveliness.

On July 9 the company went by steamer to Tilbury, visiting on the way the Beckton Gas and Chemical Works. the Crossness pumping-station and disinfectant factory of the Metropolitan Board of Works, and the new Tilbury

This excursion was a brilliant success. Four hundred and fifty members and friends were present, including many men of world-wide reputation. The Beckton Gas and Chemical Works are the central station of ten other gasworks, in which altogether 1,500,000 tons of coal are carbonised every year. All the tar products are here worked up, and the visitors saw stills from which toluol and benzol were distilling in full streams from 2-inch pipes. At the pumping-station manganates of sodium and potassium are made alone. The enormous works at the Tilbury Docks, covering 78 acres, were a great source of interest. After inspection, the steamer proceeded a little further down the river to witness a very pretty sight-the flotilla of barges returning from the barge-race which had taken place a little carlier in the day. The party reached the wharf again at about eight o'clock, the proceedings passing off without a hitch.

The London secretary, Mr. Tyrer, is to be congratulated on the smoothness of working and success of all his arrange-

#### PHARMACY IN AUSTRALIA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, VICTORIA, May 25.

GOVERNMENT AID TO PHARMACEUTICAL EDUCATION.

THE Chief Secretary recently paid a visit of inspection to the College of Pharmacy. The Presidents of the Pharmaceutical Society (Mr. William Bowen) and the Pharmacy Board (Mr. C. R. Blackett) were present to meet Mr. Berry and show him over the building. The career of a pharmacentical student, from the Preliminary examination to the completion of his studies, was explained to Mr. Berry, who expressed himself well pleased with the efficiency of the training. The visit was made in connection with an application to the Government for a grant of 1,000%, per annum in aid of the funds of the college, and Mr. Berry, at the termination of the interview, I understand, promised that the sum asked for should be placed on the Estimates for next year. If this promise is carried out it will be of great service in providing several additions that are greatly needed, and will cnable the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society, amongst other matters, to secure the services of a really competent lecturer from England—a step they have for some time contemplated, but have been unable to carry out for lack of funds.

#### INTER-COLONIAL PHARMACEUTICAL CONFERENCE.

Steps have at last been taken to bring about the much-talked-of Inter-colonial Conference, and the following is a copy of a circular which has been issued by the Pharmaceutical Society of New South Wales:—

Inter-colonial Pharmaceutical Conference.

Pharmaceutical Society's Office,

Sydney, May 12, 1885.

DEAR SIRS,—It affords me pleasure to inform you that at a special meeting of the Council of the Pharmaceutical Society of New South Wales, held for the purpose of considering the advisableness of holding an Inter-colonial Pharmaceutical Conference, it was decided that a Conference should be held in Sydney on September 16 and 17 next.

I have, therefore, to state that the Council hopes to have the pleasure of receiving from each Pharmaceutical Society in Australasia at least two members, who may be selected and enabled to attend the said Conference

at the date named.

The Council would desire to be informed at an early date the subjects that your Council might wish to have discussed at the Conference; and, in conclusion, trusts that this meeting may be the means of advancing pharmacy, promoting a friendly interchange of opinions, and increasing the facilities for the cultivation of pharmaceutical science throughout the Australasian Colonies.

I am, dear sirs, very sincerely yours,

W. T. PINHEY, Secretary.

To the President and Council of the

Pharmaceutical Society of Australasia.

I understand that this communication will be dealt with at the next meeting of the Council, and that an outline of the subjects to be brought forward, so far as Victoria is concerned, will then be agreed to. It is of the utmost importance that all the colonies should be well represented, and if the affair is well managed the happiest results should follow. The only colony that I fear may be unrepresented is South Australia, where no legislation on pharmacy exists. The example of all the other colonies should strengthen the hands of the pharmacists of South Australia to impress on the Government the necessity for speedy legislation for their protection.

#### THE LATE PRESIDENT

of the Pharmaceutical Society, Mr. Thomas Huntsman, was recently entertained at dinner by the members of the Council. The dinner was served at the Maison Dorée, and the only toast was Mr. Huntsman's health, which was proposed by

Mr. William Bowen, and very warmly received. It is generally regretted that Mr. Huntsman was unable, through press of private business, to accept the position of vice-president of the Society.

#### ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TRAVELLERS.

An unusually large number of representatives of English and American drug firms have lately visited us. The experiences of one of these gentlemen have not been of a pleasurable nature, for on his arrival he found he had been personated. Mr. W. Shepperson, the representative of Messrs. Burroughs, Wellcome & Co., the gentleman referred to, on discovering that his letters and invoices for over 2,000% of goods had been obtained from the Post Office, at once placed the matter in the hands of the police, who arrested a person named Henry Shepperson for fraudulently obtaining the letters, and endeavouring to negotiate the securities with Messrs. Felton, Grimwade & Co. and other firms. A preliminary examination was held a few days ago at the Police Court, and the case was remanded. Mr. Shepperson has been put to a great deal of inconvenience by the loss of his alvices.

I am pleased to notice that Mr. George William Francis, son of Mr. Henry Francis, of Bourke Street, Melbourne, one of our leading pharmacists, has passed a highly creditable examination at Bloomsbury Square. Mr. Francis sent his son to England a year or two ago, with a view of giving him the best possible education in pharmacy, and it is gratifying to find he has profited by it so well.

The practical pharmacy class at the College of Pharmacy for medical students, which is under the direction of Mr. C. R. Blackett, has been very successful this session, and I hear that the students speak in high terms of the practical benefit they derive from this course of study. The class is likely to be considerably increased in numbers next session.

#### ERASING NAMES FROM THE REGISTER.

Mr. Justice Higinbotham has granted a rule nisi for a mandamus to compel the Pharmacy Board to restore the name of F. Nettleton to the register of pharmaceutical chemists. In 1878 Nettleton was convicted of an illegal practice, and was sentenced to three years' imprisonment. During his incarceration the Pharmacy Board erased his name from the register of pharmaccutical chemists. He applied to be reinstated, and they refused. The Pharmacy Act passed in 1878 enables the Board to erase from the register any chemist convicted of any offence under this Act; but the offence of which Nettleton was convicted was not one under the Act, but under the Criminal Law and Practice Act. Power was given to the Board to erase a name where no answer had been received within six months to a letter sent by the Board; but the Board may restore the name to the register on personal application and production of the certificate, or satisfactory proof of former registration. The defendant denied that any letter had been sent to him, but it was submitted that if it had been the Board was bound to restore his name to the register when he made application. Arguments upon the rule will take place on June 1.

The introductory lecture of a winter course on botany was delivered at the College of Pharmacy on May 4 by Mr. D. M'Alpine, F.C.S., lecturer on botany and biology at Ormond College. The chair was occupied by Dr. Dobson, M.L.C., and there was an excellent attendance. The introductory lecture was on the subject of "The Principle of Division of Labour in Plants." Mr. J. Bosisto, M.L.A., moved a vote of thanks to the lecturer, and promised to give two prizes at the end of the present course. The motion was seconded by the Rev. D. Fraser, and carried with acclamation, and the proceedings closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

A fire broke out on May 2 on the premises of Mr. Clarke, chemist, Queen Street, Brisbane. The brigade was quickly on the spot, but the premises were completely gutted before

the flames could be extinguised. Mr. Clarke's stock was insured for 1,100*l*. in the New Zcaland Company and 200*l*. in the Colonial Mutual. The damage is estimated at 1,700*l*. The building was insured for 1,400*l*. in the New Zealand Company. Nothing is known as to the origin of the fire.

#### SPECIAL LETTER FROM QUEENSLAND.

BY this mail you will receive a copy of the Queensland Pharmacy Act, which has just come into operation here.

#### THE PHARMACY BOARD

has been appointed by the Government, and will remain in office until December 31, 1886, when a new Board will be elected by the chemists themselves. The members are Drs. Benson, Ellison, and Hill: Messrs, Edward Taylor, Yeo, Fitzbibbon, and Field, chemists. Of these Dr. Ellison (who was a chemist in Brisbane, and has lately returned here owing to ill health after taking his M.B., London) will be a very useful member; of the other doctors I know little. Mr. Edward Taylor is the senior partner in the firm of Berkley, Taylor & Co.: Mr. Yeo is Secretary of the Pharmaceutical Society, and it is mainly through his efforts that we have the Pharmacy Act in force: Mr. Fitzbibbon is an old resident here, having been dispenser at the hospital previous to his starting in business; Mr. Field is a homœopathic chemist, and has only lately started in business in Brisbane. This is the first time I have seen the name of a homocopathic chemist on the council of a Pharmaceutical Society. I hope we shall have no homoeopathic examinations.

#### THE MEDICAL BOARD

has ceased to examine chemists. At their last examination a month ago they passed five out of nine candidates. The following were the questions asked:—

1. What is hazeline obtained from, and what are its properties?

2. From what is vaseline obtained?

3. What is scammony, and what are its preparations?

4. Name the wines of the B.P.

5. Catechu pallidum — family, preparations, how administered, dose, incompatibilities?

6. Chloroform—its chemical composition, properties, preparations, and mode of administration?

7. Zinc—what is it, its sp. gr., and preparations.

8. Quinine—what is it, chemical composition, properties, preparations, solubility?
9. How many drops are there in a fluid drachm of acid.

mur. dil., acid. sulph. dil., acid. prussic, spt. ether. sulph.? Considering that the questions were to be all taken from

Considering that the questions were to be all taken from the B.P., the two first questions were not quite the thing.

#### FIRES

The buildings out here being built mostly of wood fires are of frequent occurrence. Some months back the branch shop of Mr. Carmichael, in Petrie's Bight, was partly destroyed; while more recently the shop of Messrs. D. Clarke & Co., of Queen Street, was completely gutted. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Clarke, who is a loser by some 300%, besides loss of trade during rebuilding.

#### EXAMINERS.

The first duty of the new Pharmaceutical Board after they have made a complete list of the chemists of the colony will be to appoint the examiners, and determine the standard for the examinations.

#### Poisons Bill.

We hope to get an Act passed next session to regulate the sale of poisons. A Bill was introduced last session of Parliament, but was abandoned. In my next I hope to send you our prospectus of examinations, but some time must elapse before we can get into thorough swing, as we shall require materia medica specimens, &c., and everyone is so short of time in this go-ahead colony.

#### NEW ZEALAND.

#### (FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

WHILST this colony marches onward in the energetic course of civilisation, and is making steady progress as regards the development of internal wealth, the pharmacist is content to keep pace with the ordinary stages of commerce, and is not careful as to the advantages of combined business relations, such as is shown in Melbourne by the Australasian Pharmaceutical Society. The erstwhile New Zealand Society is dead, and no one yet has developed energy sufficient to put life into the old bones.

#### THE PHARMACY BOARD

occupies a place in this colony similar to the English Pharmaceutical Society. They administer an Act passed in 1880, whereby they are empowered to make regulations for examinations to qualify for registration, to appoint examiners, to register (upon approval) persons holding certificates of competency from recognised bodies, and initiate prosecutions for breaches of the provisions of the Act. The Board held an examination simultaneously in Christchurch, Wellington, and Auckland, on the 15th April last, which resulted in four passing out of nine candidates. A number of students are now in course of preparation for the next examination, and eagerly avail themselves of one or two schools specially directed to the teaching of pharmaceutical work. This is all the more necessary, as the Board have intimated that examinations will become more rigorous in proportion as opportunities for study in the colony are afforded.

#### LEGISLATION.

The Government have promised to introduce the needful amendments to our present Pharmacy Act during the next session, and have under consideration the Sale of Poisons Bill, of which I enclose a draft.

#### ORDERS IN COUNCIL.

Some meddling Paul Pry friend of the present Ministry has induced them to issue an Order in Council, regulating at one scratch of the pen, as they fancy, the sale of Poisons throughout the colony. It orders from July 1 next that every vendor of poisons must send out poisons in octagon-shaped bottles only, and that the word "Poison" shall appear thereon in white letters on a red ground. The Pharmacy Board have promptly represented to the Government the absurdity and inconvenience of their regulation. Octagon bottles are not procurable in the colony, and the label requires a block in order to print it, and is not so effective as the ordinary red poison label.

#### VISITORS.

As may be expected from the increasing popularity, owing to medicinal value, of our hot mineral springs, coupled with the salubrity of the climate, New Zealand is attracting a host of globe-trotters, amongst which the chemist finds very frequently a brother professional on a tour of enjoyment, or the representative of an old country drug-house pops in with book and pencil at least once a month. Amongst the latter class of visitors, many of whom are very popular with us, I may name the most recent:—Mr. Watkins, of Evans, Lescher & Webb; Mr. Fabien, of Whitall, Tatum & Co., New York; Mr. Rivers Largton; Mr. Gwyllim Evans, of Wales; Mr. Lakeman, of Burgoynes; Mr. Dixon, of Maw, Son & Thompson; and Mr. Francis Forrest, representing Pear's. This by no means ends the list. Messrs. Elliott Brothers, of Sydney, are also most considerate in looking after our requirements, so that in a short time the colonial druggist will have weekly visits from the manufacturers agent or the representatives of the "big houses" in the same manner as is usual throughout provincial towns in Great Britain.

#### GOLD MEDAL.

The Pharmacy Board, with a desire to encourage higher pharmaceutical education, and in order to encourage a spirit of emulation, have decided to offer annually for competition a gold modal and certificate of merit, to be competed for by

apprentices and assistants who shall have been engaged in New Zealand in the preparation and compounding of drugs and chemicals in the pharmacy of a legally-qualified chemist and druggist, for at least two years prior to the date of examination. The subject for examination will be announced in January of each year, and the examination (which will be written) will be held in the following December. The subject for examination in December, 1885, is the chemistry of the narcotics of the British Pharmacopeia, including also chloroform, chloral hydrate, and ether: with their physiological action upon man and animals. Evidence of original thought or work will be considered of special value.

#### PHARMACY IN INDIA.

(SPECIAL LETTER TO "THE CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST.")

THE drug trade generally in India feel for their brethren at home in the present gloomy and disheartening state of home in the present gloomy and disheartening state of trade, but they nevertheless believe that chemists and druggists are themselves to blame in a great measure for ignoring surroundings. Why a chemist and druggist should entirely omit from his business the sale of spectacles, scientific instruments, drawing instruments, and artists' materials, tobacco and cigars, and such-like articles of public demand is quite beyond their comprehension, and they feel convinced that the feeling of pride in endeavouring to attain a professional status is a sad mistake. It would do many of our friends at home good to come out to India and inspect our handsome pharmacies or judge our manner of business. The latest novelty is always obtainable. Nowhere in India does the chemist and druggist confine himself exclusively to the supply of drugs and chemicals; his term of assistantship shows him the fallacy of such a course. He learns that the more varied his stock the more will be the returns of the pharmacy department, and the more frequently he can induce his clients to visit his establishment the more certain he is that those customers will not forget to buy his drugs when they are in want of them. Conscious of this fact, he is constantly adding new goods and new departments.

The late troubles on the Afghan frontier have had some little effect on business. Officers proceeding to the front, and those held in readiness with the first and second army corps, made large purchases of camp comforts and necessities, amongst which I may mention pocket-filters, every one of which were bought up rapidly, preference being given to the Silicated Carbon Company's (Frazer pattern). One or two small sales of cocaine were also made for the purpose of experiment in field operations until the supply was exhausted.

Messrs. Treacher & Co. (Limited), chemists, druggists, and general merchants, declared a dividend of 22 per cent. for the past year last month, at the same time carrying a considerable sum to the reserve fund; their shares of 500r. are now at 1,150r. each, and before the declaration of the dividend were at 1,225r. The company is in its twenty-first year, and the shareholders cannot but be gratified at the successful management of the firm. The manager in India is Mr. Edward Rammell, an old Bell's scholar, who has just returned from an exceedingly pleasurable "holiday" trip through the Australian Colonies.

Many assistants are turning their attention to that part of the world as a field for travel; Cook & Sons, who have an office at Bombay, arranging and conducting parties at extremely moderate fees. Many Anglo-Indians nowadays make Australia a home in the retiring years of their life.

I notice with pleasure a full-page advertisement in your late issues of Henry's great Indian remedies. Both Thilum and Hippacea have an extensive sale here, and are worth the attention of the trade at home.

You may shortly expect to see a first-class Indian arrowroot on the English market. Mr. Woodrow, of the Poona College of Science, has succeeded in producing an enormous yield of arrowroot from some specimens of the true Bermuda variety, Maranta arundinacca. The climate and soil apparently suit the plant to perfection. In fact, so satisfied is he with the experiment that he has sent an extensive order

to England for machinery. In his primary experiments he used one of the "Enterprise" tincture-presses, which answered well in a small way.

According to recently-published statistics the international trade of India seems to be developing satisfactorily. The imports for the year ending March 31, 1885, were valued at 5,315 lacs of rupees, the totals in the two previous years being 5,270 and 5,001 lacs respectively. It must be remembered that in consequence of lower prices of merchandise generally, these figures represent greatly increased quantities. Chemicals and drugs counted for 44 lacs last year, and for 44 and 48 in the two former years. Exports were valued at 8,024 last year, and 8,501 and 8,060 lacs in 1883-4 and 1882-3. Opium was exported to the extent of 199,000 cwt., worth 1,088 lacs. This is a larger quantity, but a less value, than in former years.

The Manufacture of Cinchona Alkaloid in Madras.—Hitherto Madras has been dependent upon Bengal for its supply of cinchona alkaloids; but since the appointment of Mr. Hooper as Government Quinologist in Madras it has been decided to carry out the manufacture there. Mr. Hooper has recently visited the Medical Store Depot, and, after an inspection of the laboratories, found that the appliances could be adapted to the manufacture of the liquid cinchona on a large scale. The cost, taking the bark at the rate of the recent sales at Madras, and allowing the usual percentage for fuel, labour, &c., was estimated at 1.0.9r. per fluid pound. This will enable it to be issued at a price of some 30 per cent. lower than the febrifuge now obtained from the Government factory in Bengal for use in the hospitals and dispensaries at this Presidency. Mr. Hooper has been instructed to at once manufacture 1,000 lbs. of fluid extract at 40 grs. to the ounce.

#### PHARMACY IN CANADA.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MONTREAL, June 25.

THE annual examinations held in Montreal on the 5th, 6th, and 7th are now a thing of the past. There were thirty-one candidates, of which the following passed:—Major for Licentiate of Pharmacy:—J. T. Lyons (gold medal) and J. L. Beaudry. Minor for Certified Clerk:—W. H. Griffith (gold medal), E. Morin, W. P. Watson, T. E. Read, J. E. Dozois, W. W. Hill, Louis Brossard, and Thomas Goulden.

The new Pharmacy Act got safely through the Legislature, and was assented to on May 9. It is substantially the same as the old Act of 1875, but its provisions are more carefully drawn, the penalties are made more clear, and the clause regulating the annual election of Council can now be understood, and is capable of being carried out intelligently.

According to the Act there are three classes of persons provided for in the curriculum of study:—"Certified Apprentices," who must pass a preliminary examination before admission to study and registration; "Certified Clerks," who must have been admitted as apprentices and have passed an examination, called the "Minor," before being registered as such; and "Licentiates of Pharmacy," who must pass the Major, attend a prescribed course of lectures, and have been in the practice of pharmacy in a store kept by a licentiate before they can be placed on the register and be licensed to carry on a pharmacy on their own account. No apprentice can prepare prescriptions unless he is under the supervision of a licentiate or certified clerk.

On the whole, the Act is a great step in advance, and will doubtless materially assist in raising the standard of pharmacists in the province. Anyway, pharmacy here is keeping pace with the times quite as well as can be expected, and, I think, will bear favourable comparison with medicine.

ARTIFICIAL TRUFFLES are made in France, according to Cosmos les Mondes, of potatoes, coloured by exposure to the air of cesspools and flavoured with a few drops of phenol!

#### CHEMICAL SOCIETY

#### June 18, 1885.

DR. HUGO MÜLLER, F.R.S., President, in the chair.

The following gentlemen were duly elected fellows of the Society:—Messrs. Harry Haslett, Thomas Cradock Hepworth, Leonard de Koningh, Charles Langer, Arthur Riehardson, James Sharp, James Pender Smith, James Spilsbury.

The following papers were read :-

"On the Decomposition and Genesis of Hydrocarbons at High Temperatures. I. The Products of the Manufacture of Gas from Petroleum." By Henry E. Armstrong and A. K. Miller, Ph.D.

This paper was quite a scientific one, and a continuation of earlier researches published in the *Journal of the Society of Chemical Industry*.

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"On the Non-crystallisable Products of the Action of Diastase upon Starch." By Horace T. Brown and G. H. Morris, Ph.D.

In the course of this paper the authors show that when the action of malt extract upon starch-paste is limited, a third body is always found amongst the products of transformation besides maltose and dextrin; they have no doubt that this substance is identical with one prepared by Herzfeld in an impure state, and described by him as "maltodextrin."

They give various conclusive reasons for rejecting the theory that maltodextrin is merely a mixture of maltose and

dextrin.

The composition of maltodextrin may be expressed by the formula  $\begin{cases} C_{12}H_{22}O_{11} \\ (C_{12}H_{20}O_{10})_2 \end{cases}$ , that is, a maltose group united with two amylin or dextrin groups, each constituent group retain-

ing its optical and reducing properties.

The authors believe that the molecule of starch cannot contain less than five times the group  $(C_{12}H_{20}O_{10})_3$ , and that the action of malt extract consists in a successive hydration and removal of the  $(C_{12}H_{20}O_{10})_3$  group, leaving as residue a dextrin of decreasing complexity, until the last of the five ternary groups is reached, which undergoes no further change except a comparatively slow hydration, maltodextrin being formed by the hydration of the last ternary group constituting starch, thus:—

$$(C_{12}H_{20}O_{10})_3 + H_2O = \begin{cases} C_{12}H_{22}O_{11} \\ (C_{12}H_{20}O_{10})_2 \end{cases}$$
Maltodextiiu

The authors are engaged in a full examination of the properties of maltodextrin, an account of which they hope shortly to lay before the Society.

"Decomposition of Carbonic Acid Gas by the Electric Spark." By H. B. Dixon, M.A., and H. F. Lowe, B.A.

Various chemists have investigated the decomposition of carbonic acid by the electric spark. Experiments having shown that no explosion is propagated by a spark in a mixture of carbonic oxide and oxygen dried by standing over anhydrous phosphoric acid, it seemed of interest to repeat the experiments on the decomposition of carbonic acid when dried in a similar manner. Carbonic acid dried over anhydrous phosphoric acid was submitted to a series of induction sparks in a eudiometer by means of a chain composed of short pieces of platinum fused into small glass bulbs. The amount of decomposition varied from time to time, approaching no fixed limit. Similar results were found on introducing a Leyden jar into the secondary circuit of the Ruhmkorff, but the amount of decomposition was less. Other experiments were recorded.

"On the Influence of Silicon upon the Properties of Cast Iron." By Thomas Turner, Assoc. R.S.M.

The author's results show that, contrary to generally-accepted views, a suitable addition of silicon to cast iron improves the tensile strength of the metal. Any addition, however, beyond 2.5 per cent. causes a gradually-increasing deterioration.

In the discussion which followed this paper Mr. Spiller said a Blue-book was published about 1860, by Sir Frederick Abel, containing an account of similar experiments with

cast iron. He had taken part in those experiments. The results arrived at were very different from those now put forward; in fact, he was inclined to question altogether Mr. Turner's conclusions, as he was not satisfied with the method of testing adopted, particularly the shape and size of the testing bars.

"Eleven Months' Experience with Toughened Glass Beakers." By R. J. Friswell.

In July, 1884, twenty-one beakers were purchased of the Toughened Glass Company, working De la Bastie's patents. One of these was broken by an accident, and twenty were taken into use in the laboratory of the Atlas Works. They had the form of thin tumblers furnished with a lip. The bottom is about three times as tnick as the sides, and size for size they are two-and-a-half times as heavy as the Bohemian beaker of about the same capacity.

It was stated on behalf of the makers that they would stand boiling over the flame of a rose burner while supported on wire gauze, but as one of them burst soon after he began to use them, on pouring hot water into it, the more severe treatment was never tried, and they were relegated to ordi-

ary use

Of these some had seemed to decay, minute fissures spreading over the surface like a spider's web. It was believed, and shown, that the sulphuric acid used for cleaning them tended to produce this effect. Caustic soda does not injure the glass.

The result of eleven months' use of the twenty beakers was that two burst spontaneously, one burst on hot water being poured in, six were useless from fissures and enfoliation, eight are in good condition, and three had been broken by

unknown means.

Taking into consideration the loss of confidence caused by

the high percentage of spontaneous bursting, it may be said that toughened glass is a complete failure in the laboratory.

The following papers were taken as read:-

"Bromo-derivatives of Diphenyl, Tolylphenyl, and Ditolyl." By Prof. Carnelley and Andrew Thomson.

"Note on the Influence of Strain upon Chemical Action"

By Prof. Carnelley and James Schlerschmann.
"On the Non-existence of Gaseous Nitrous Anhydride."

By William Ramsay, Ph.D.

"On the Causes of the Decrepitations in Samples of socalled Explosive Pyrites." By B. Blount.

"On the Specific Action of a Mixture of Sulphuric and Nitric Acids upon Zine in the Production of Hydroxyamine." By E. Divers, M.D., F.R.S., and T. Shimidzu, M.E.

"On the Action of Pyrosulphuric Acid upon certain Metals." By E. Divers, M.D., F.R.S., and T. Shimidzu, M.E.

"On the Constitution and Reactions of Liquid Nitric Peroxide." By E. Divers, M.D., F.R.S., and T. Shimidzu, M.E.

"On the Behaviour of Stannous Chloride towards Nitric

Oxide, and towards Nitric Acid." By E. Divers, M.D., F.R.S., and T. Haga.

"Preliminary Note on the Reaction between Mercurous Nitrate and Nitrie Oxide, and between Mercurous Nitrate and Nitrites." By Edward Divers, M.D., F.R.S., and Tamemasa

"On some Derivatives of Anthraquinones." By A. G. Perkin and Dr. W. H. Perkin, jun.

To CLEAN PLASTER OF-PARIS BUSTS.—Boil starch into a thick paste, and with a soft brush spread it on the article to be cleaned. Then expose it in an airy place, and, when dry, the paste will peel off, together with all the dirt and dust, and the cast will appear as white as when new.—Am. Druggist.

Manufacture of Etching Ink.—According to Muller, a liquid for etching on glass has recently been introduced into commerce, and can be used with an ordinary pen. It consists of hydrofluoric acid, ammonium fluoride and oxalic acid, and is thickened with barium sulphate. A better ink is obtained as follows:—Equal parts of the double hydrogen ammonium fluoride and dried precipitated barium sulphate are ground together in a porcelain mortar. The mixture is then treated, in a platinum, lead, or guttapercha dish, with fuming hydrofluorie acid, until the latter ceases to react.—Dingl. Polyt. and Am. Druggist.

#### THE CHEMISTS' RETAIL.

#### [FOURTH ARTICLE.]

WE continue our adaptations from the work of Mr. Ad. Vomacka, "Unsere Handverkaufsartikel" (Leitmeritz, Austria).

DOMESTIC	Salve.
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					Parts
Camphor		 	 		5
Carbolic acid		 	 		4
Vaseline		 	 		80
Diaehylon plas	ter	 	 • •	• •	30

Melt together the vaseline and the plaster, and stir in the camphor and carbolic acid when nearly cold.

This makes an excellent general ointment for all kinds of wounds, sorcs, burns, &c. The directions for use should be to apply it on a picce of linen rag, after the wound or sore has been washed with lukewarm water. The dressing should

application.

## be changed every twelve hours, washing between each CORN AND WART CURES.

Equal parts of glacial acetic acid and distilled water. May be coloured with fuchsine and perfumed with mirbane.

Salicylic acid has become very popular. It has the property of softening and dissolving horny skin, and was first recommended for corns by the celebrated dermatologist, Dr. Unna. It is best applied in combination with ten times its weight of collodion.

Either fluid can be put up in glass tubes, of which one end has been drawn out to a point, or in glass-stoppered bottles, the stopper of which has a spiral glass attachment.

The directions for use, if the acetic acid preparation be adopted, should indicate precautions to be taken to prevent the application of the acid to the sound skin. A piece of plaster should be attached, leaving the corn only free. This should be lightly toucbed with the fluid at night, covered with cotton wool until morning, when a foot-bath in which common salt has been dissolved should be used. The corn should then be carefully pared with a knife. This treatment should be repeated every third day until the corn has quite disappeared. Warts or hard skin can be easily removed by frequent application of the fluid. They will gradually come away in flakes.

#### CORAL LIP-SALVES.

			Ι.				
					G:	ramm	es
Ceræ albæ					 	70	
Vaseline					 	100	
Alkannin					 	0.25	
Ol. limon ess.					 	1	
Ol. bergamot	ess.				 	1	
Ol. rosarum	••	••	• •	••	 	05	
			II.				
Ol. olivar. ben	Z				 	500	grammes
Ceræ albæ		••			 	300	11
Cetaeei					 	30	.,
Alkannin					 	1	"
Ol. jasmin					 	5	"
Ol. rosarum			••		 		gtt.

The second preparation will be generally preferred. The benzoin will aid in keeping it. The oily ingredients are most conveniently benzoinated by digesting benzoin in a water-bath with the melted mixture, for three hours, in the proportion of 7 parts of the powdered resin with 150 parts of the mixture. The alkanet extract can be dissolved in the mixture before straining. To further aid in keeping the preparation salicylic acid—1 part in 1,000—may be added. The acid should be dissolved in spirit of nitre.

Alkannin is preferable to alkanet root, because by its use the pressing is avoided, and a more brilliant colour is obtained. Saffranin may be used instead of the alkannin, and is cheaper. It should be used in solution, 1 part of saffranin with 20 of alcobol and 80 of water.

Lip-salve may be put up in tablet shapes, in rods, or in

boxes. For the first the mixture is poured into paper or metal moulds, for the second in metal or glass tubes of the required diameter. When cold the salve is removed from the metal or glass mould by immersion in warm water, wrapped in tin-foil, and afterwards in glazed paper.

#### ALMOND MEAL.

Mix, gradually, 4 parts of glyccrine with 100 parts of ground almonds, and add 5 parts of borax. Perfume with a mixture of neroli, essence of musk, and bitter-almond oil.

Used as a cosmetic after washing.

#### CREASOTE.

(Specially prepared for application in Toothachc.)

[May be so labelled, but would then be liable to stamp aty. "Creasote Compound. Specially prepared," would be duty. safe.]

Mix equal parts of creasote and strong alcohol, and add 2 per cent. of oil of cloves.

This is less caustic and even more effectual in toothache than creasote used simply. It is well to sell it always coloured with tincture of rhatany, as creasote varies in colour from white to a deep yellow, and if supplied of different tints may be suspected by the public.

#### MALT EXTRACT LOZENGES.

White sugar	 	 	••	4 lbs.
Extract of malt	 	 		2 oz.
Vanillin solution	 	 		60 drops

These require some practice to make successfully. By gradual additions of sugar and water in a copper pan, a thick syrup is made, which is frequently stirred—kept on a gentle boil—until all the sugar is used. The evaporation must be continued until the liquid drops from the stirrer in long threads. Then a little acetic acid or lemon juice is added, and afterwards the malt extract flavoured with the vanilla. The lemon juice or acetic acid, which must be used very sparingly, tends to keep the lozenges transparent, but it also tends to make them hygroscopic. The vanillin solution is made by dissolving 1 part of vanillin in 250 of pure spirit; or a tincture of vanilla may be used.

The most difficult part of the work is to judge of the right degree of concentration of the syrup. The mass is poured on a marble slab which has been smeared with paraffin, rolled out into the proper thickness, and cut into lozenges

before it becomes bard.

Malt-extract lozenges are recommended for coughs, tickling in the throat, hoarseness, and bronchial complaints generally.

#### Dog Pills.

Magnes. snlph.							3iv.
P. rad. valerian							5x.
Pulv. jalapæ	••	••			••		3viij.
P. sem. cinæ							3viij.
Glyccrini tragaeantl	lı., q.s.	ut ft.	${f massa}$	e quâ	former	atur	boli No. 60.

Wrap up each bolus separately in thin tissue-paper.

The label below will indicate the use of these pills.

A specially valuable curative and preventive medicine for various Dog Diseases, especially

Distemper, Mange, Worms, Cramps, Epilepsy, Colie, Constipation, &c.

Dose-For a good sized dog give three pills in the course of the day; two for a small dog. Increase or diminish the dose as may be found necessary.

The pills may be given in roast meat or baeon, but if the dog refuses this, smear the bolus with oil and drop it in his jaws.

In very cold and in very warm weather it is advisable to give all dogs one of these pills daily; and at all scasons one or two may be given occasionally to keep the blood pure. Two or three may be given weekly to young dogs to protect from the distemper.

#### CATTLE SPICE.

					rarts
Fœnugreek seed	••	916		••	500
Juniper berries	••	••	••	••	100
Fennel seed	••			••	80
Linseed	• •	••	••		150
Biearbonate of soda			••	••	100
Commou salt	••			819	50
Sulphate of soda			••	efb	100
Asafœtida		••	-	••	5

All the above in powder, to be mixed and sifted. Label as below.

# CATTLE SPICE.

For Strengthening the Digestive Organs, Purifying the Blood, and promoting the Flow of Milk in Cows.

Dose—For horned eattle, a heaped tablespoonful three times daily in the fodder.

#### HORSE POWDER.

						Ι	arts
Powdered	fænugreek		••		• •	• •	100
**	juniper ber	ries			••		25
,,	fennel seed	ls		• •	-		20
,,	aniseeds		• •	••	-	ALT:	10
**	gentian				••	••	75
**	eamomiles			••	••	••	50
Black ant	imony		••	••	••	**	10
Sal-ammo	niae			••	••	••	25
Asafætida	ı		••	erro.	••	••	1

Mix, and put up in tins or eardboard cases, labelled (with a picture of a prancing horse):—

## CONDITION POWDER FOR HORSES.

Promotes appetite and digestion, purifies the blood, and produces a smooth and glossy skin.

This powder contains no injurious ingredients whatever.

One or two heaped tablespoonfuls to be given in the fodder three times daily.

#### VERMIN-KILLERS.

PI	nenhor	$P_0$	ste

		Thosphor Tuste.						
Wheat flour		0-0	••				10	
Water		••	••	••	••	••	10	
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Make a thin paste, and add-

Crude glycerine.. .. .. .. .. .. 125

Warm together in a water-bath, with constant stirring, to form a paste. Stir till cold.

Separately dissolve 10 parts of phosphorus in a warmed mixture of 20 parts of ehloroform and 3 parts of oil of star anise, and add gradually to the mixture 20 parts of finely-powdered star aniseed (*Illicium religiosum*). In a porcelain or glass mortar mix the two pastes together.

#### Baruta Balls.

					GIAI	пше
Precipitated earbor	nate ba	ryta	••	• •	1	00
Crumb of bread						50
New cheese			• •	••		50
Oil of star anise						3

Crude glyeerine q.s. to make a mass, which divide into 100 boluses.

The baryta vermin-killer is generally as effective as the phosphor paste, and is less dangerous. In either ease the directions for use would read as under:—

Lay pieces of the poison, about the size of beans, on freshbroiled baeon, or on a piece of old cheese, pinned to a board or to the floor, and sprinkled with sugar, where the rats or mice run. Let a plate with water be placed close by.

#### INSECT POWDER.

The value of the pyrethrum powder lies in its freshness and in the fineness of the powder. For the destruction of certain insects it is much more effective with an addition of 5 per cent. of earbolic acid. This can be mixed with it most conveniently by first dissolving the acid in spirit, and mixing the solution gradually with the powder.

#### INSECT-BITE REMEDY.

					F	arts
Aquæ destill.	••	••	••	 ••		100
Potassii iodid.		••		 	••	5
Iodi		••		 	••	2
Aeid earbolic				 	••	1

Dissolve the iodide in a little of the water, add the iodine, and mix with the rest of the water and the earbolic acid.

Solution of ammonia coloured with carmine is often used for a similar purpose, but the liquid prescribed above is generally preferred.

The liquid should be supplied in small stoppered bottles, with spiral glass attachments to the stoppers. When required for travellers it is convenient to supply it in bottles in box-wood cases.

#### MOTH POWDER.

					Ξ	arts
Patchouli herb			 			100
Valerian root			 			50
Camphor		••	 			40
Orris root			 			50
Sumbul root			 	• •		50
Patchouli oil	••		 	• •		1
Otto of roses						- 1

The various ingredients are broken up as small as possible, passed through a wide sieve to separate the coarser pieces, and freed from dust by a fine sieve. The oils are mixed with the orris root, and all the ingredients are then combined.

Put up in paper or silk bags, and labelled as under—

## MOTH POWDER.

This powder sprinkled among Furs, Clothes, Carpets, Furniture, &c., will effectually prevent the ravages of moths

It is very advantageous to open and air the materials every month or two.

#### MOTH LIQUID.

						J	rarus
Spirit of winc							500
Naphtaline			••			٠.	10
Carholic acid				• •	••	• •	10
Camphor		••		••	••	• •	5
Essence lemon	••	••		••	••	••	5
Oils of thyme.	laver	der, and	lsavi	iae (of	eacb)		2

This can be used by sprinkling over furs, clothes, carpets, furniture, &c.; or, better still, by application by a spray-producer.

#### BEETLE POWDER.

				8	Parts
Powdered borax			 ••		20
Precipitated carbon	ate	of baryta	 		10

The precipitated carbonate of baryta should be used, and not the native witherite.

# BEETLE POWDER.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.—If the holes of the beetles can be reached—and they are generally to be found in the neighbourhood of ovens or other warm places—sprinkle in them some of this powder and smear over with a paste made of plaster of Paris and water. If the holes cannot be found or reached, boil some peas, stir them with beer to make a soft paste, add to this some butter or lard, and mix with the paste so ohtained about one-fourth of its weight of this beetle powder. In the evening lay little lumps of this compound about where the beetles come, taking care to place a plate with water close by. In the morning sweep the beetles which will be found lying about into the fire. By some perseverance in this action the beetles can be entirely got rid of.

#### BUG DESTROYER.

			ŀ	ts יוי
Tincture of tobacco	 ••	 	••	200
Boric acid	 	 		6
Carbolic acid	 	 		6
Salicylic acid	 	 		12
Oil of Indian balm	 	 		1

This preparation is far superior to most of those recommended for the destruction of bugs. Dr. Hager says the combination of boric and salicylic acids is an excellent substitute for arsenic or sublimate for the destruction of insects.

The tobacco tincture is made by digesting 40 parts of the commonest tobacco in 200 parts of proof spirits, in a warm place for three days.

## BUG DESTROYER.

Contains neither arsenic, corrosive sublimate, nor any other of the legal poisons; and may be used in a house with perfect safety.

**DIRECTIONS.**—Whenever possible clean the furniture, pictures, &c., where the bugs burrow with a strong hot soda solution, then paint over with this solution two or three times with a small brush.

The development of these pests may be prevented by mixing two or three bottlefuls of this tincture in a batch of whitewash, when it is used. The tincture dries up on the whitewashed parts, but all its active ingredients remain. All powders used in that way are soon scattered.

#### POPULAR PERFUMES.

THE subjoined formulæ have been supplied to us by a manufacturer who is not now in business, but who states that when sold they gave general satisfaction:—

1	L. A	$\lambda_{ m LBERT}$	EDWARD	Bouquer.
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				UZ.
Jockey Club	 	 	 	10
Ess. bouquet	 	 	 	10
Heliotrope	 	 	 	6

#### 2. Ess. Bouquet.

Extract	rose		 30	oz.	Extract	z vanilla	1	• •	13	0%
1>	tuberos	е	 25	,,	"	civ∈t			4	,,
**	cassie		 20	,,		musk			3	
"	orange			,,	Ess. ber	amber			1	
,,	violet			22	less, ber	_	••		2	
,,	orris		 20	22	Otto ro					

#### 3. FRANGIPANNI.

xtract	rose			20 oz.	Extract c	ivet			5	oz.
,,	orange			10 ,,	,, n				33	
,,	cassie			16 .,		mberg			1	**
"	jasmine			20 "	Ol. vitive				10	miuim
19	orris			30 ,,	,, bergar				130	
,,	violet		٠.	35 "	,, citron				30	,,
,,	tuberose	е		20 .,	" neroli			••	45	,,
"	vanilla			16 ,,	Otto rose				45	:,
**	tonquin			12 ,,	Ol. French	h gera	nium		50	- 11

#### 4. Guards' Bouquet.

Extract	neroli	 	12 oz.	Extract orris		 20	OZ.
>9	musk	 	6.,	Ol. cloves		 40	minims
,,	rose	 	30 ,,	" bergamotte		 65	,,
٠,	orange	 ٠.	20 "	" French gera	niu <b>m</b> ,	 45	,,
,,	vanilla	 	12 .,	Otto rose		 35	**

#### 5. Orris Extract.

Crushed orris	 	 	 7 lbs.
S.V.R. (60 over proof)	 ••	 ••	 8 pints

Place in a wide-mouth covered jar; stand one month; pour of; pressand filter remainder.

#### 6. EAU DE COLOGNE.

Ess. bergamotte	60 1	ninims	4.	Ol. neroli	 40 miuin	as
" lemon	60			"citron		
", lemon	00	,,		S.V.R	 16 oz.	
Ol. lavand, ang.	. 30	,,	1	Aq. flor, aucant.	 4 "	

#### 7. Rondeletia.

Otto rose	12 minims	Grain musk		4 grains
Ol. lavand, ang.	60 "	Ambergris		12 "
"bergamotte	30 ,,	S V.R	•• .	10 oz.
" cloves	30 ,,	Aq. dest	••	2 "

#### 8. JOCKEY CLUB.

Extract	rose	 	20 oz.	Extract tuberose 16 oz.	
,,	cassie	 	13 "	" civet 4 "	
29	jasmine	 ٠.	13 "	" musk 2 "	
,,	violet	 	20 ,,	Ess. bergamotte 1 ,,	
>.	oriis	 	20 .,	Otto rose 45 min	ims

#### 9. SANTAL EXTRACT.

Ol. santal	 	 	 	2
Rose triple	 	 	 	10
S.V.R	 	 	 	90

#### 10. HELIOTROPE.

Extract vanill	a	10 oz.	Extract orris	 16 oz.
., rose		20 ,,		13 minims
			Otto rose Extract musk	23 ,,

#### 11. JONQUILLE EXTRACT.

Extract ja	smine	 20 oz.	Extract	vanilla .	 5 oz.
	range				
+-	nhowaca	20	Otto wor	70	16 mining

12 LAVENDER	WATER, SUPERIOR.	23. FLORIDA WATER.
Ol lavand. arg 2 oz.		Ess. lemon 6 oz.   Ol. cloves 4 oz.
", tergamotte $\frac{1}{2}$ ",	Extract musk ½ oz. Otto rose 5 minims	Ol. lav. cxot. super 8 , S.V.R 4 gals.
Extract millefleurs ½ ,	S.V.R 32 oz.	, lemon grasse 2 ,, Aq. dest 1 ,,
	Aq. flor aur 4 ,,	24. MAY FLOWERS.
"	" dest 2 "	
For cheap laveuder	water, use French oil.	
13. Nero	LI EXTRACT.	" olange 10 " " civet 1 "
Ol, neroli	140 minims	" cassie 12 " Ol. almonds 13 minims
S.V.R	30 oz.	" vanilla 16 " Otto rose 17 "
14. Li	GN ALOE.	25. CIVET EXTRACT.
Extract orris 10 oz.	Extract rose 20 oz.	Civet 1 drachm
	,, civet 3 ,,	Powd, orris
" vanilla 10 "	Rose triple 15 ,,	S.V.R 20 ,, Rub the civet in a mortar with the orris: place in a stoppered bottle-
" jasmine 15 "	Ol. lign aloe $1\frac{1}{8}$ ,	with S.V.R.; stand 21 days; sbake well.
15. New!	Mown Hay.	
07.	Oz,	26. OPOPONAX.
Rose triple 16	Extract violet 20	S.V.R 26 oz.
Extract geranium 20	" tonquin 30	Pod. musk ½ drachno
,, jasmine 20 ,, orange 20	,, vanilla 10	Vanilla heans crushed
,, orange 20 ,, rose 30	,, civet 5	Infuse above one month, and add—
,,	"	Oz. Minimes
16. Marech	ALE BOUQUET.	Extract orris 10 Ol. citronella 13
Rose triple 16 oz.	Extract jasmine 20 oz.	rose
Extract rose 20 ,,	" neroli 10 "	" cassie 5 Ess. lemon 15 " bergamottc 60
" orange 20 " " violet 20 "	" musk 4 " " civet 5 "	,, orange 5 Ol. patchouly 30
, violet 20 ,, , vitivert 10 ,,	,, civet ., 5 ,, Ol. cloves 30 minims	,, violet 16 Otto rose 50
" cassie 20 "	,, santal 30 "	27. WHITE ROSE.
" orris 20 "	" bergamotte 60	
" vanilla 16 "	"French geranium 35 "	Oz. 07:
" tonquin 10 "	Ess. lemon 30 "	Rose triple 7 Extract cassie 4 Extract rose 13 " jasmine 4
17. MIL:	LEFLEURS	Extract rose 13 , jasmine 4 , violet 7 , patchouly 3
Rose triple 20 oz.	Extract musk 3 oz.	,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,,
Extract rose 30 "	" civet 4 "	28. Stephanotis.
" tuberose 10 "	" tonquin 5 "	White rose 20 cz.
", jasmine 16 ", orange 10 ",	Ol. almonds 10 minims	Extract jasmine 10 ,,
,, cassie 16 ,,	" cloves 10 "	,, civet
" violet 20 "	"bergamotte 60 "	•
" cedar 5 " " vanilla 7 "	" patchouly 30 "	29. STORAX EXTRACT.
" vanilla 7 "	"French geranium 30 "	Gum storax 1
18. Kiss-	ME-QUICK.	S.V.R 20
Extract jonquille 40 oz.	Extract tuberose 20 oz.	30. Patchouly Extract.
" orris 30 "	" civet 7 "	Ol. patchouly 80 minims
" tonquin 20 "	Ol. citronclla 30 minims ,, bergamotte 60	Otto 20 ,,
., rose 40 ,,	" bergamotte 60 " " verbena 15 "	S.V.R 23 oz.
" cassie 20 .,	" patchouly 10 "	31. VERBENA EXTRACT.
" violet 20 "	Otto rose 45 ,,	Ol. verhena 160 minims-
19. Tonou	IN EXTRACT	, bergamotte
	Oz.	S.V.R 18 oz.
Tonquin beans, crushed S.V.R	1	Aq. rosa
	stand 21 days.	32. GERANIUM EXTRACT.
		Ol. French geranium 2 drachms
20. M	AGNOLIA.	S.V.R 30 oz.
Extract rese 40 oz.	Ol. citron 1½ drachm	33. Ylang-Ylang.
" orange 20 "	" citronella 10 minims	
", tuberose 16 ", violet 16 ",	,, almonds 10 ,, Otto rose 20 ,,	Ol. Ylang ylang $\frac{0z}{2}$ Extract jasmine 20
" jasmine 10 "	Extract civet 4 oz.	, hergamotte ½ , violet
	LA EXTRACT.	., pimento 14 ,, vauilla 16
ZI. VANILI	Oz.	S.V.R
Vanilla beans, crusbed	1	Extract orris
s.v.r	23	", tuherose 20 ", storax
Stand 21 day	s; shake well.	" cassie 20   Rose triple 20
99 Msznav	E FLOWERS.	34. West-end Bouquet.
		Oz.
Oz.	Oz.	White rose
Extract orange 20 , tuherose 10	Extract jasmine 15	Extract violet
, rose 30	, vanilla $5$ , civet $2\frac{1}{2}$	, jasmine

			35	. Ros	в Т	RIPLI	ē.		
	Otto rose			. 1.00			0.0		1½ drachm,
	S.V.R.	••	•••	••	**	••	**	79	30 oz.
			36.	SPRIN	G FI	LOWE	RS.		
Extra	ct rose			10 oz.	Es	tract	civet	6-0	•• 3 OZ.
,,	violet	••		10 "		se tri		••	4 ,,
,,	cassie	••	••	3 "	1 Iss	s. ber	gamot	te	•• 60 minim
			37	. Woo	OD V	IOLE:	r.		
Extra	ct cassie	**		40 oz.		tract		••	20 oz.
"	rose violet	••		30 " 50 "		, almo to rose		••	15 minim
"	jasmin			20 ,,		tract			5 oz.
			38.	JASMI	ne E	XTRA	CT.		
	No. 24 ja	smine	e pom	ade, cu	t up si	mall	••		7 lbs.
	S.V.R. (6						••		8 pints
Place it	a wide-n Extract s			ed jar ;	stand	one i	nonth		4 oz.
	Langer	3001.00			r daily				,
			30	WAL	TETC	WER	æ		
Trekna	ob aggain								10 oz.
Extra	et cassie orange			10 oz. 20 "		tract			3½ ,,
:,	rose		• •	20 "	Ol	. almo	nds	••	10 minim
23	orris	••	••	10 "	Ot	to rose	3	••	20 ,,
			40.	Mus	кЕх	TRAC	T.		
	Pod mus	k	••					••	150 grains
	S.V.R.	• •	••	••	••	••	••	••	20 oz.
			41.	CEDA	R E	TRA	CT.		0-
	Ol. cedar				***		••		Oz. 1
	S.V.R.	••	-	••	••	••	••	••	30
			42. V	ITIVE	ert F	XTR.	ACT.		
	Ol. vitiv								1 oz.
	S.V.R.	••	••		••	••	••		4 pints
			43	ORANG	зв Е	XTRA	CT.		
	No. 24 or	ange					••		7 lbs.
	S.V.R. 60								8½ pints
Place i	n a wide-r	noutl	cove	red jar	; stan	d one	month	ı; stir	daily.
			44.	CASSI	E E	TRA	CT.		
	No. 24 ea	assie							7 lbs.
	s.v.r.	••	••					••	8½ pints.
				Work	as ab	ove.			
			45.	Rosi	E EX	ГRAC	T.		
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	S.V.R.	**	••	Work	• •	• •	••	••	8½ pints
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			417						
				Violi					
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#### THE DRUG TRADE WITH SPAIN.

(Continued.)

FROM what was said in the former article, it may be hoped that intending exporters to Spain will fully understand the great importance of correctly stating all the gross and net weights, and, for their information, a short illustration of the best means of doing this on the plan adopted by leading French and German houses may not be out of place.

First, the correct gross weight for each individual package must be given to the ship or steamer, to be entered in the manifest and bills of lading; the steamship owners do not hold themselves responsible for exact weighing, and if the weights are not furnished in kilogrammes by the shippinghouse they put down the nearest approximation they can, with the usual result of the importer getting fined more or less heavily. The general declaration for the manifest must also embrace every branch of goods included in the order, thus:—Chemicals, drugs, and pharmaceutical products, which would include all patents; but, if a very assorted line, it may be necessary to add besides, chemical and pharmaceutical apparatus, druggists' sundrics, surgical instruments and accessories, glass bottles, &c. This is simply the general statement for the manifest, which should be as broad as possible without actually detailing the contents, but stated in such a manner as to include all the different kinds of goods shipped. Besides this, the invoice sent to the buyer is usually detailed as follows:-Example-

#### Case A.N.Z., No. 1, gross 72 kilos.

2f. 7 kilos. 320 gr. jar 5 kilos. potass, iodid., at 12f. .. = 60f. 3f. 13 kilos. 760 gr. 2 bot. 10 kilos. potass, bromid., at 5f. .. = 50f. 1f. 6 kilos. 200 gr. tin 5 kilos. opium (9 % morph.), at 30f.=150f.

This example shows price charged for package, gross weight of the article in bottle, jar, or tin, net weight of each, and gross weight of the case with marks. For sundries the same process is carried out slightly modified; thus, all the common glass in the same case is invoiced together, and net weight of the lot given; stoppered and fine crystal glass goods are also grouped together, as well as porcelain, earthenware, indiarubber goods, &c.

The above is the best way of invoicing for the Spanish market; there are other systems of course, but they do not

give the same satisfaction, neither are they so safe.

Unfortunately, a general idea prevails in England that 2 lbs. are equal to 1 kilo., and this false impression has put a good deal of money in the shape of fines into the pockets of the Spanish Government. If it is found too much trouble to make a calculation at the rate of 453 grammes for each lb., and 28 grammes for each oz., a very near approximation can be obtained by counting 2 lbs. for each kilo., and deducting 10 per cent., thus 4 lbs. = 2 kilos., less 10 per cent. = 1,800grammes, which is right within about  $\frac{2}{3}$  per cent., as can be proved by multiplying 453 grammes by four, obtaining 1,812 grammes.

Patent medicines and medicinal products should as much as possible be packed into the same case, because they have to be inspected officially by the pharmacist attached to each Custom-house, for which he charges so much per case; so that, if half-a-dozen different patent medicines are spread through six different cases, the lucky importer has the pleasure of paying the fee six times over, instead of once

only, had they all been packed together.

Besides the strict attention to the proper invoicing, the following points are necessary for the successful cultivation of a profitable business with Spain:-A good captivating traveller is required, well up in the business and speaking the language, to visit all the customers at least once a year; twice is better, and is the plan followed by French and German houses, who send their travellers in April and October, each journey taking about three months. plete quarterly prices current should also be published in Spanish, prices in pesetas and per kilos, and grammes, with a supplementary monthly list of changes in prices and of novelties. The traveller at first should travel with a very complete set of samples, to be gradually diminished until only novelties and leading articles are left. Of course, all

travellers are supposed to be endowed with a greater share of patience and tact than other people, hut in this country they will require it more than anywhere else, perhaps, although, once they succeed in establishing themselves on a friendly footing with the customers, and their firms fill the orders properly, they will find the connection easily worked. There are several routes for entering Spain, but the most usual, and apparently the most profitable, is viâ Paris, where a circular tour ticket for the whole of Spain and Portugal can be obtained at a very reduced rate. As the time for the tour is just a little limited, it would, perhaps, he advisable not to take the circular ticket for the first journey, when, of course, the traveller, not knowing his customers, cannot he expected to cover his ground so quickly as afterwards, when these tickets will really he found advantageous. journey can he begun either through Irun, in the Basque Provinces, or through Port Bon, in Catalunia; whichever route is selected, it cannot be reversed in future journeys, as otherwise the customers last visited would receive the next call far too soon. Most travellers enter through Irun, and visit the towns in the following rotation: - San Sebastian, \*Tolosa, \*Vitoria, Bilbao, Santander, Burgos, Valladolid, \*Medina del Campo, Leon, \*Avila, Salamanca, Madrid, Toledo, Lisbon, Oporto, Cordoba, Sevilla, Cadiz, \*Gibraltar, Alicante, Málaga, Granada, Murcia, Cartagena, Albacete, Valencia, Tarragona, Barcelona, \*Figueras, \*Gerona, Zaragoza, \*Pamplona, \*Logroño. These are all the most important towns, those marked \* are often left out. Besides these there are, in Galicia and Asturias, Vigo and La Coruña, hoth well worth visiting, but very much out of the way. The journey should be made from Santander hy steamer, and the town of Ferrol can also be visited at the same time. The traveller is only allowed 30 kilos. of luggage free, but the samples are very economically carried by a special tariff, called "dohle pequeña," or really double-luggage train rate. By this tariff the samples have to be entered or hooked at the station two hours before the train starts, and by this means they go in the same train as the traveller, and arrive with him, whilst they only pay double the rate of ordinary

Of course, each manufacturer will think that he can compete thoroughly in his own line of business, and it may be so; but experience has shown the writer that the following lines from England are in the best demand in Spain, and only require a certain amount of pushing and care to secure

good orders :-

Cocoanut oil, croton oil, cod-liver oil (highly refined), linseed oils, palm oil, aloes, acetic acid, gallic acid, henzoic acid, citric acid; carbolic, phosphoric, lactic, oxalic, and tartaric acids; aconitine, poppy-heads (large), nutgalls, camphor, English starch, and in powder, musk, alum (also powder and calcined), star aniseed, antimony, arrowroot, arsenic, atropine, sugar-candy, precipitated sulphur, balsams of Canada, copaiba, Peru, and Tolu; benzoin, vermilion, hicarhonates of soda and potash, hichromate of potash, horax, tar, bromine; bromides of ammonium, of sodium, and of potassium; cinnamon, cannabis indica, cantharides, sulphate of iron (pure and common), copperas; carbonates of ammonia, magnesia, potash, and soda; castorcum, catechu, white wax, vegetable wax, cyanide of potassium, cinchonine; ammoniacal citrates of bismuth, of iron, of iron and quinine, and all scale preparations in general; cloves, chloral hydrate, chloroform (especially pure anæsthetic), chloride of lime, calomel, perchloride of mercury, chloride of zinc, colchicum bulbs and seeds, collo-dium, colocynths, fine thin orange-peel, cream of tartar (superior), creasote, precipitated and prepared chalk, cubebs, iodides of mercury, scammony, essences of lavender, sassafras, and peppermint; spermaceti, strychnine, sulphuric ether; phosphates of lime, of iron, and of soda; phosphorus and amorphous; phosphide of zinc, glycerine, tragacanth, shellac, mastic, gum ammoniacum, asafœtida, euphorhium, galbanum, guttagamha, myrrh, guttapercha, Calabar and Tonka beans, morphia and its salts, reduced iron; hypophosphites of ammonia, lime, iron, potash, and soda; hyposulphite of soda, buchu leaves, coca leaves, senna, iodine, iodoform, iodides in general, jaborandi, lactates of iron and in general, lactophosphate of lime, lycopodium, Iceland moss, litharge, hops, mace, calcined magnesia, naphthaline; nitrates of ammonia, hismuth, strontia, silver, potash, and soda; areca nuts, nux vomica, nutmegs, opium, oxalate of ammonia and of potash, oxide of zinc, pancreatin, paraffin, acidulated

lemon and fruit drops, gelatine lozenges, peppermint lozenges, pepsine, permanganate of potash, peroxide of hydrogen, pyrophosphate of iron, plumbage, black lead. podophyllin, sugar of milk, guarana in powder, impalpable powders of superior quality of all drugs in general. caustic potash; red, white, and yellow precipitate; propylamine, prussiates of potash, Panama or quillaya bark. cinchona barks (all kinds), quinine and sulphate, ginger (all kinds), jalap, ipecacuanha, orris-root, sarsaparilla, copal, jalap, resins, sandarach, rhuharb, salicine, salicylate of soda, santonine, sassafras, cardamons, coriander seed, caustic soda; sulphates of copper, magnesia, potash, soda, and zinc; sulphocarbolate of zinc, tamarinds, tannates of iron and of quinine. tannic acid, tartar emetic, hlack and green tea, granular effervescent citrate of magnesia and all effervescing granular preparations, Venetian turpentine, thymol, vanilla; valerianates of ammonia, quinine, and zine; vaseline.

Of patent medicines by far the greater portion are of French make; the Americans are also advertising largely and doing an extensive business, whilst the English patent medicine proprietors, except Holloway and Morrison, appear to be neglecting this field completely. Eno's fruit salt, Lamplough's pyretic, Brown's chlorodyne, Cockle's pills, Bond's marking ink, Judson's dyes, and similar preparations could all command an enormous sale if properly advertised. English surgical instruments, lint, and appliances of all kinds

are also held in high esteem in Spain.

Druggists' sundries of all kinds are also very saleahle. Elastic stockings, homoeopathic medicines, and novelties of every description are all suitable.

As an instance of the way goods are pushed in Spain by

As an instance of the way goods are pushed in Spain by some French houses, it may be stated that they even sell cost, freight, and insurance, and duty paid besides. In such a case they deduct from the invoice the amount the customer has to pay for freight and for Custom-house duties.

(To be continued.)

#### THE MINOR EXAMINATION.

#### BY A RECENT GRADUATE.

THE article entitled "My Minor Examination," which appeared last month in your "journal of the trade," would be read with great interest by many would-be chemists who have yet to go through the ordeal. But I fear many will come to the conclusion that the Minor is not after all a difficult or important examination, and hence will go up insufficiently prepared; at least I have heard remarks suggesting this idea from some who have as yet to obtain the

degree.

My experience was somewhat different from that of your last month's contributor, and as mine is evidently more recent, it may on that account he interesting and acceptable to some of your readers. I judge that my predecessor passed some months ago, as one of his examiners, Mr. Brady, has not been on the Board for some time. I received but seven days' notice, instead of the more usual fortnight. five of these days I worked hard, and the last two days I did what I would advise all to do who are fairly well up, and that is, took matters very easy, and did next to no studying, hut more outdoor exercise, and on the morning of the examination felt myself fairly prepared. I presented myself at 10 A.M. along with ahout thirty others. As my name was fifth from the bottom of the list, I and ahout half-a-dozen others were ordered out for half-an-hour. On my return I was summoned upstairs, and told to take a seat—not the despised "funking form," but a comfortable chair. There I sat for nearly an hour, and heard during that time the anything hut cheering words from the chairman no less than eight times, "Mr. ---, I am very sorry, but you have failed to satisfy your examiner." I was then called to my first subject-

PHARMACY.—I had hetween one and two dozen tinctures, spirits, powders, &c., to recognise, to give all their strengths, mode of preparation and dose, to compare them with other preparations of the same drug, &c., together with many such questions as, "How much of the active ingredient in one teaspoonful?" &c. "Give the commercial and B.P.

methods of making the acids, including sulphuric, hydrocyanic, acetic, nitric, and citric." "Give their sp. gr. characters, &c., special attention being given to hydrocyanic." "How to make ext. of malt; enumerate the chemical actions as they take place." "Name the alcohols in the B.P., how prepared, and their uses." "Give the equation from memory for making tinct. ferri acet." "Give the composition of three or four pill-masses." "How to make several syrups, and give the why and the wherefore."

BOTANY was the next subject. I was given about a dozen roots to pick out, including horse-radish, aconite, dandelion, and one or two, others two or three pieces of each; was required to state their N.O.'s, their uses in medicine, &c. Was shown a bit of ivy, asked how its roots differ from those which I had been looking at (alluding to the aerial roots of the ivy). Give the divisions of the vegetable kingdom; distinguish between three or four N.O.'s. Shown conium and fool's parsley, had to distinguish them. Had to place several flowers under their N.O. I had no flowers to recognise, although there were plenty, all familiar ones, on the table. Was asked to describe the structure of an endogenous stem, and to explain how it differs from an endogenous stem.

DISPENSING.—Nothing difficult, as the following will show:—

	Hyd. chlor.							gr. xij
M.	Ft. pil. x. Cap	o. j. c.	sing.	dos. m	a. seq.			
	Pulv. rhei							3ss.
	Sodæ bicarb.							3j.
	Bismuthi carb.							Зij.
	Mucil. trag.							Ziij.
	Sp. amm. co.							5j.
	Aq. ad							₹vj.
M	Fiat mist C c	och :	mag	ana h	ora et	coch.	ii h.s	s.s.

CHEMISTRY.—This was my most difficult subject, and one which, I think, requires most attention, for the more you study the more you find there is to learn in this direction. I was given about a dozen chemicals to recognise, nearly all crystals with good characteristic points. Two I could not recognise, one a crystal like a lump of alum. "No, it is not that," I was told, "but you shall find out. Here you will find the necessary apparatus." I proved it to be a fine crystal of "sodæ pot. tart." I was then given a solution which proved to be perchloride of mercury. I was then taken in theoretical chemistry; was asked what I understood by the terms Isomer, Polymer, and several others. Two or three calculations were set me, such as, "How much KI from 100 lbs. I?" "How much H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> from 32 lbs. S?" "What occurs when several gases are burnt?" &c. "How would you proceed if you wished to analyse the atmosphere?" "What should I expect to find in London air? what absent in the country? what addition at the sea-side?" "What is the composition of 'hard' water? why called hard? why called soft? What does rain water contain?" "Give a quick method of distinguishing between the two without the aid of chemicals." Here I amused my examiner by telling him to "wash his hands in it, and then he would know."

"What do you know about chlorine, bromine, and iodine? What are these called? Give their characters and compare them one with the other. Are they disinfectants? if so, how do they act? Give equation for making bromine? Give their natural sources." "How is phosphorus prepared? What is amorphous phosphorus? how prepared? what used for? give characters. Name the oxides of phosphorus and the acids of the same."

Finally I was asked a few questions on the chemistry of the BP

PRESCRIPTION READING.—Some were well written, others bad and scarcely readable, but with time could be made out. I had to give full translation in Latin of two prescriptions written in English; to read several in full Latin; was asked about forty doses, including all the important ones; was asked the approximate composition of several proprietary articles, the doses, &c.

MATERIA MEDICA.—Was shown a great many drugs, special attention being given to the adulteration, inferior samples, and the geographical source, my examiner amusing me by telling what answers others had given in this respect.

Was asked the composition of several drugs; their methods of extraction. Was taken through the animal materia medica of the B.P. Shown many non-official drugs, none of which were much out of the common.

This ended my day's work. On the morrow I received my certificate, but only seven of my companions were as fortunate.

Perhaps I may now be allowed to give a little advice to future candidates. Many are surprised there are so many failures. Although I only had three months in a college, I saw quite sufficient to satisfy me in regard to the failures. The usual work of the student is to prepare the work for the morrow—and this never thoroughly—and to attend the lectures, to which he pays little attention. Afterwards he has a chat with a few friends, visits the theatres, &c., two or three nights a week until about a fortnight before the "exam.," when he works, goes in, and fails.

There are others who work conscientiously, and these generally pass the first time. I had three friends, and although we had not seen each other previous to our college life, yet being of the same turn of mind we worke I together, and although only students for three months, all passed the

first time of trying.

#### A PHARMACIST'S NOTE-BOOK.

#### BLEACHING OILS.

THE German chemist Pascher has carried out an important novelty with regard to the bleaching of oils. This is novelty with regard to the bleaching of oils. This is usually effected by means of 2 per cent. of concentrated sulphuric acid, and a subsequent washing with water. In many cases a perfectly pure oil is spoilt by an incomplete washing after the action of the sulphuric acid. Such is often the case in the colza oil, largely used as a source of illumination. Unless the purified oil is completely washed, the wick of the lamp is blackened in a very short time, and frequent cutting and trimming become requisite. By Puscher's new method this washing is greatly facilitated; instead of using pure sulphuric acid, he takes a mixture of equal parts of spirit at 96 per cent. and ordinary concentrated sulphuric acid. Half the quantity of acid usually employed is thus replaced by spirit. The effect is most satisfactory. No resinification of the oil is produced as when sulphuric acid alone is used, and from the first the mixture is perfectly homogeneous. Gradually the mass becomes cloudy, takes a green colour, and finally becomes black. In the course of one or two days, during which the vessels are left quite quiet, a comparatively small quantity cf a black deposit has found its way down as a sediment; it occupies only a small space in proportion to the bulk of the oil so treated.

In testing the efficacy of this new process, experiments were made on 200 quarts of oil at a time. Walnut and colza oils become by this treatment as clear as water; linseed oil still retains a distinct yellow tinge when seen through a

certain thickness.

Before being sent out oils treated in this manner must be submitted to a thorough washing with cold water, used in liberal quantities. It has been found in practice that the addition of the spirit economises one-half of the sulphuric acid, and yields a much superior product.

#### CICUTINE ON A LARGE SCALE.

Cicutine or comine, the alkaloid of the hemlock, has been coming rather prominently forward of late years, and appears to be useful as a powerful sedative agent in neuralgia, affections of the spine, the shooting pains of cancer, &c. It was introduced into therapeutics in the granular form, in doses of  $\frac{1}{130}$  grain, by Dr. Burggraeve, of Ghent University. We noted not long afterwards that Prof. Schorn was giving considerable attention to its preparation. He distils 100 kilogrammes of hemlock seed with 4 kilogrammes of carbonate of soda, and by the aid of steam at a pressure equivalent to three times that of the atmosphere. The liquid which passes is collected so long as it presents an alkaline reaction. The greater portion of the cicutine separates from the rest of the distilled liquid, in the form of an oil. Hydrochloric acid is added to neutralise it, and the whole is then evapo-

rated to the consistency of a syrup. After cooling, this syrupy liquid is treated with twice its volume of alcohol. which throws down hydrochlorate of ammonia. separated by filtration. The filtrate is evaporated, decomposed by caustic soda, and treated with ether. A certain amount of the substance known as "conhydrine" often separates from the ethereal solution.

To obtain the cicutine the ether is allowed to evaporate and the alkaloid dried up in presence of carbonate of potash. It is then submitted to fractional distillation. About 60 per cent. of the product passes towards 168° to 169° C. Thus obtained, cicutine is a colourless oily fluid, volatile at the ordinary temperature of a summer day; it combines with 25 per cent. of its own weight of water, which can be separated by heat. It is soluble in 90 parts of water, and does not appear to be affected by the action of light. Its sp. gr. is 0.886.

In combining with bromine, iodine, tartaric acid, oxalic acid, &c., this liquid alkaloid forms salts which crystallise in some instances with facility. The bromhydrate of cicutine is largely prepared in the form of granules by Chauteaud, of

#### EPSOM AND GLAUBER SALTS.

Sulphate of magnesia and sulphate of soda, or, as they are still often termed, "Epsom salts" and "Glauber salt," have perhaps proved more useful in general medical practice than any other single remedy, not excepting the "heroic" quinine itself. Some prefer sulphate of soda on account of its action being rather milder, but the sulphate of magnesia, either alone, or associated with bicarbonate of soda and tartaric acid, is most extensively used, especially on the Continent, where it is sold under the name of "scidlitz," when associated with a small quantity of effervescing

English seidlitz mixtures have been more or less supplemented of late years by the aperient mineral water of Hunyadi Janos, in which we have a mixture of Epsom and Glauber salts in almost equal proportions. Professor Fresenius, of Wiesbaden, made a very eareful analysis of this mineral water, the sample being taken directly from the spring to the laboratory. Its temperature is that of our ordinary spring water in England; and from 1,000 parts a residue is left on evaporation amounting to 42.1 parts, of which sulphate of soda forms 196, and sulphate of magnesia 184. There is also sulphate of lime, 1.3; bicarbonate of magnesia, 1.1; and chloride of sodium, 1.4, with nothing else of any consequence. In round numbers the water of this spring may be said to owe its aperient quality to 3 per cent. of a mixture of Epsom and Glauber salts in equal proportions.

Nothing is easier, of eourse, than to imitate these natural waters; but in doing so great care must be taken not to employ an impure water, more or less contaminated with

sewage or surface drainage.

#### HYPONITRIC ACID IN CHOLERA.

Hyponitric acid (or nitrous vapours) constitutes a powerful disinfectant, and has been often used with satisfaction, like chlorine or sulphurous acid, for purifying the atmosphere of hospital wards. The reason why we allude to it here is that the numerous articles which have recently appeared in our medical journals regarding the inoculation experiments carried on in Spain by Dr. Ferran recall a note from another Spanish physician, which treats of hyponitric acid as a chemical antidote for cholera.

Ramon de Luna is a Spanish chemist who witnessed the outbreak of cholera in Madrid in 1865, and has ever since taken considerable interest in the subject, collecting data, making experiments, and so forth. The results of all his investigations have been summed up for us in a few lines, which we reproduce in his own words:—The cause of cholera, he asserts, is in the air, through which the infection is propagated. Its action is exerted exclusively upon the respiratory organs. It is especially during sleep that the incubation of the cholera germs occurs. The action of the bacterium, bacillus, or ferment, bears chiefly on the bloodcorpuscles, preventing hæmatosis, thus bringing about a state of asphyxia, which gradually proves fatal. The only way, therefore, of saving individuals attacked by cholera is during the algide period, to cause them to inhale, with all due precautions, a mixture of air and hyponitric gas. Two or three inhalations, he continues, have sufficed in cases which have

come under the author's observation to give immediate relief and to bring on a decided reaction; after which they were out of danger in the course of a few hours. Finally, de Luna says, that, as a means of preserving people from the rayages. of this terrible scourge, he would strongly recommend fumigations of hyponitric acid vapour two or three times a day in bedrooms, wards of hospitals, ships, &c., before the inmates retire to rest, and again before they rise in the morning

There may be more in this recommendation than would appear to many at first sight. We know that during the recent outbreak at Manilla none of the 300 workmen at the Mint (where they breathed more or less nitrous vapour) were

attacked by the disease.

#### AWA.

Our note book contains some observations upon a very remarkable plant, the Piper methysticum, or awa (sometimes pronounced kava), which is held in renown in all the Polyremote districts, say that the plant in question produces sleep, which is accompanied by visions that are of an enchanting nature. In this respect they consider it more powerful than either opium or Indian hemp. The sale of Awa in the Sandwich Islands is prohibited except on the production of evidence that it has been prescribed by a physician. Nevertheless, no law in these islands is more frequently violated. It grows almost everywhere, springing up spontaneously in all parts of the islands, so that it is quite impracticable to prohibit its culture. The taste of the root is described as being acrid, or as an acid pungent flavour like horse-radish, with a certain aromatic odour.

It is not uncommon to see a couple of girls and an old man or so sitting on the ground masticating awa root, the process being contemplated with interest by a number of adults standing around. When the substance of the root is thus reduced to a pulp they toss it into a large calabash and prepare for a fresh mouthful. This goes on till a considerable quantity of the pulp is provided, then water is added and the mass is kneaded and well stirred with the hands until it has the appearance of soap-suds. It is then strained through a cloth, and after more water has been added the liquid thus prepared is poured into cocoanut cups and

handed round to the company.

Those who drink this preparation pass through a stage of idiocy into a deep sleep, which, we are assured, can be reproduced once without a further dose by bathing in cold water. Confirmed awa drinkers might be mistaken for lepers, for they are covered with whitish scales, and have inflamed eyes and a thickened epidermis, which eventually turns

white and peels off.

Awa is occasionally taken as a medicine; it is supposed to be a cure for corpulency. The root and base of the stem are the parts used, and preferably when fresh. It has a powerful fascination for the inhabitants of the Polynesian Islands. In the Fiji Islands it is used medicinally for rheumatism, &c., and the natives employ it as a narcotic and stimulant beverage. Awa has, like tobacco, a calming effect rather than an intoxicating influence, unless the juice befermented as described above.

#### SPENT LEYS.

The great French chemist, Dumas, once said to us, "Those who wish to make fortunes with chemistry may turn their attention to residues"—that was about a quarter of a century ago. Gas tar was then a residue, the rich "sulphur mines" lying outside soda works were residues, just as the débris resulting from sorting and jigging of ores in Cornwall form residues which are now attracting some attention. There are residues at every turn of the road which leads from the laboratory of the industrial chemist to the mansion in the country, where he will eventually reside if he works them up well.

Spent leys are another form of residue, and constitute a new source of glycerine. Among others, a German chemist, Herr Fleming, has been at work in this direction. He has set himself the task of recovering glycerine from spent soap

leys by means of dialysis.

At Neuwied, in Germany, there are four soap works of moderate size, which produce annually about 1,500 tons of waste liquor, containing as much as 75 tons of glycerine.

Analyses of many batches of spent soap leys show us that their contents in pure glycerine amounts to quantities varying in round figures from 1 to 7 or 8 per cent. to recover this glycerine by distillation, the first thing to be done is to remove the salt which exists in the liquid. The most effectual way of doing this appears to consist in submitting the spent leys to dialysis. The liquid is concentrated in suitable pans by aid of steam heat; it is then neutralised by the careful addition of sulphuric acid (the quantity requisite must be determined by an analytical test made upon a small sample, as it depends upon the amount of carbonate of soda present). Owing to the violent evolution of carbonic acid gas it is difficult to obtain a perfectly neutral solution in this manner, and it is found preferable to add a slight excess of sulphuric acid, which, after the separation of the sulphate of soda, is removed by lime. This sulphate of soda and some chloride of sodium separate together as the liquid concentrates. small excess of sulphuric acid has been removed by lime, the liquid is re-evaporated by steam heat, when a further small amount of sulphate of soda and salt crystallise out on

The liquid is now submitted to dialysis, or "osmosed," as the Germans say, and leaves the osmometer (dialyser) sufficiently free from mineral constituents to be distilled, after concentration, either by itself alone, or after the addition of crude glycerine, obtained as a residue in the

manufacture of stearic acid.

In this distillation the loss of glycerine is said to be very small, and the product is tolerably pure. The principal feature of this new process is that, unlike molasses, the glycerine liquor does not attack the parchment paper of the osmometer. The enormous quantity of spent soap leys produced in various parts of the world (in fact, wherever people wash) renders any experiments in this direction of considerable importance.

#### ESSENCE OF ALMONDS.

M. Boyveau, of Grasse, reports that for the last few years an artificial essence of almonds has been occasionally met with in trade which it is difficult to distinguish from the ordinary essential oil, whether obtained from kernels or from the cherry-laurel. This artificial essence differs, however, from the former by the following characters:—By its lower specific gravity (true essence, 1.043; artificial product, 1.029, 1.030); by its odour, which is more acrid, especially manifest when strips of paper are soaked in each of the samples compared, and the essence allowed to evaporate by exposure of them to the air; finally, by the action of concentrated sulphuric scid.

A cubic centimetre of this acid is poured into a graduated test tube, and a cubic centimetre of the essential oil to be examined is poured over it. The two are then shaken up together, when it is observed that the artificial essence at first takes a red tint, and then immediately becomes brown, loses its transparency, and thickens. In the course of twenty-four hours it is thus transformed into a solid

brownish-coloured mass.

In the same circumstances the true essence obtained from the *bitter almond* takes a beautiful currant-red colour, which in the course of a few hours becomes more intense and darker, but the mixture remains perfectly clear.

The essence obtained from the kernels of peaches and apricots colours in the same manner a fine currant red, but it soon becomes very dark red; the mixture also thickens to some extent, but remains clear and forms no deposit, nor gives rise to any solidification.

When the essence obtained from the *cherry-laurel* is tested in the same manner it takes directly a dark red tint without passing through the delicate currant red shade. It also thickens a little but remains perfectly clear and fluid.

By this means, we are assured, it will be easy to detect a mixture which contains 30 or even 25 per cent. of the artificial product, for in this case the sample examined as described will turn brown and lose its transparency.

If this should meet the eye of M. Boyveau we should be glad if he would send us a little information as to the nature of the artificial product to which he alludes, and tell us whether it is a mixture of nitro-benzol and cherry-laurel essence, &c., or an entirely new product of the coal-tar industry

## Veterinary Pharmacy.

#### THRUSH.

THRUSH has no apparent connection or similarity with the same-named disorder of human beings, and the origin of the term is obscure, or it might not appear so meaningless.

Thrush in the horse is recognised by a feetid discharge from the foot, more particularly from that part called the "cleft of the frog," and in bad cases involving the whole of that elastic portion of the hoof which is known by the name of "frog."

The offensive condition above referred to may be constitutional and hereditary to a great extent, or brought about by standing in dung and urine in badly-paved or ill-drained

stables.

When it arises from neglect and dirt, care and cleanliness go a long way to cure it, and a new and satisfactory growth may be obtained by judicious remedies. When, however, it is hereditary and chronic in a horse fairly well bedded and looked after, it is not always safe or advisable to stop it suddenly, since in some feet it would appear to act as an issue or seton to inflammatory action or concussion in more

important and deep-seated structures.

The frog grows from, or is secreted by, a sensitive substance taking the same outline, and consisting, when carefully examined, of a number of mushroom-like processes, or papille, whose office in health is to grow a sufficient amount of horny matter to replace the wear and tear in a healthy foot. When, however, these papillæ become inflamed from the above causes they produce an inordinate quantity of imperfect material rapidly undergoing changes and producing the characteristic offensive odour of decaying horn. The treatment then should be devised to stop this excessive and wasteful production, and restore to the sensitive frog its proper functions. In a bad case it will be advisable to give a dose of "physic," which term in the veterinary world is exclusively applied to aloes—"physic" and aloetic balls being synonymous terms. A ball containing 5 drachms of aloes barb, is usually enough for a light horse, and 6, or even 7, for a cart-horse. Large doses are attended with danger, and all the good results of an aloetic purge may be obtained from a small dose if the horse is properly "prepared "—that is to say, kept on bran mashes and chilled water for eighteen hours before giving the ball. Aloes have a peculiar action on horses' feet, and would seem to divert inflammation even of a chronic form during the time the drug is acting, so that a lame horse will often pull out sound, and, we might add, get sold without showing his defects.

The blacksmith should be called in to pare away freely all the decomposed parts and thoroughly? "bottom" the fissures before using any curative agent. Nearly all the old-fashioned caustic and corrosive agents are beneficial, and seldom do any injury, because the sensitive parts are generally protected too much to be destroyed.

Carbolic acid, among the recent preparations, is the best, but has not the power of destroying and getting rid of dead, offensive horn that is possessed by nitric and hydro-

chloric.

Youatt recommends an ointment composed of zinci sulph., 5j., cum ung. picis, 5j.

Liq. antim. chlor. is a most effectual application, and is improved by being mixed with an equal proportion of liquor

oes.
The following ointment has been found to answer well:—

Common salt is a favourite remedy among stablemen, and in mild cases is of much benefit. Whatever remedy is used care should be taken to make it penetrate to the seat of disease, and there is no better plan than to press in a small quantity of tow with a spatula as far into the cleft of the frog as it will go, and then saturate with the intended lotion, or, in the case of an ointment, pour in a little warm, and afterwards

place a plcdget of tow in the cleft previously rolled in the remedy. If no lameness is present and the horse must continue at work, it will be well to give a diuretic ball on Saturday night (or previous to any rest-day) instead of the aloetic dose. Where the attendant cannot give a ball, and the prescriber is unable or unwilling, he may substitute a powder-in a bran mash; but it is not every horse that will eat medicaments, and they should be selected with this fact in view, and masked by some more agreeable powder. following is a good diuretic powder, and almost any horse will take it :-

Puly, hellebor, nig. gr. xv. Pot. nit. Зi. Sodii chlor. 3i. Pulv. fenug. 3ss. M. Ft. pulv.

Sodii chlor, and pulv, fenug, may be safely added to any horse powder as an inducement to take the more potent

Doses of 2 to 6 oz, of mag. sulph. can be given in this way if added to the sodii chlor, and fenug.

#### SWELLED LEGS

often accompany thrush, and are common among cart-horses, so much so as to have earned the name of "Monday morning leg," owing to the dropsical enlargement following upon rest-

ing or standing long in the stable.

Dropsical swellings in horses do not necessarily indicate failure of the heart or derangement of the portal system, and need not be regarded with the same fcar as in the human being. When it is remembered that the horse has no muscles below his knees and hocks, and that his venous blood has nearly always to ascend against gravity, it is not surprising that the aqueous portion frequently exudes into the surrounding connective tissue. The swelling of the legs and varicose veins from which so many persons suffer who are engaged in drapers' shops arises from the same cause, but where veins are clothed with muscle the propulsion of the blood is better maintained; hence only the outside veins in the human subject become varicose, while the dense skin of the horse prevents the varicose condition; the hollows between the tendons allow of the gravitation of exuded serum. In an elastic stocking we see a substitute for a thick skin, and the wearers generally have the alternate evil of swelled legs or feet.

There is no remedy or remedies more reliable for the quick reduction of these "filled" legs than mag. sulph. and pot. nit., made palatable by the addition of common salt. Exercise must of course be given, even if the swelling is tender and the horse lame; but where neither pain nor lameness exist to an appreciable extent, the swelling generally goes off during the first hour's work.

#### GREASE AND CRACKED HEELS.

#### GREASE

is another condition for which the agricultural chemist more particularly is called upon to prescribe. Like thrush it is a morbid excessive production of a material which in health has a very useful function. The heels of the horse are provided with numerous glands, which secrete an unctuous material for the flexures of the joints and maintain the skin in a soft and pliant state, where otherwise cracks and excoriations would result.

Cracked heels and grease are both caused by the irritation, inflammation, and, in the one case, ulceration of the adjacent skin, and in the other morbid growths, which are known to

most people, in their aggravated form, as "Grapes."

Cracked heels, when existing independently of grease, may be treated successfully with mild and emollient remedies, and are less likely to crack again than when induced to unite by the aid of escharotics, or caustic remedies. The veterinarian is generally consulted in the inflammatory stage, when the horse is lame, the heel red and swollen and intensely painful, and the animal often very much frightened when he tries to use it. In such a case no time should be lost in applying a poultice of linseed or bran, or, better still, equal parts of lini cont. and bran, with carbo animal. Fj. and glycerine When the acute pain and lameness have been reduced by poulticing, the heel should be well fomented in hot water, and an ointment applied, such as-

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Zinci carb.
                                               60
Alum puly
                                                   Эi.
                      . .
                                               ..
Glycerini
                                                   311
Ol. amygd.
                                                   зii.
Adeps
                                                   Ziss.
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This should be carefully "kneaded" into the heel and adjacent parts, leaving some on a pad of cotton-wool lightly covered with a bandage.

The administration of a fever powder will be as well, and should consist of such an one as

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Antim. tart.
                                            Ziss.
Pot bicarh
                                                3ij.
Mag. sulph.
                                                ₹ij.
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If the edges of the crack appear to unite no other treatment will be required, but rest should be enjoined, and if that cannot be had for a sufficient time, the heel should be dressed with glycerine 1 pint and aqua 20 pints before starting out, as the film left after evaporation is just sufficient protection from dust and wind.

Horses which are subject to cracked heels should not have them washed, but allowed to dry, when they come in dirty,

and be brushed clean afterwards.

Grease in any but the worst stage can at least be kept in check, if not successfully cured; there is no difficulty in its diagnosis, anyone possessed of a nosc will have only to smell it once. It, being an excessive production like thrush, requires much the same treatment, only it is to a greater degree constitutional, and, therefore, requires to be attacked by internal as well as external remedies. Agents which act upon the skin and kidneys have a very marked effect on grease, and are best given in the form of a ball. The following will be found as good as any:-

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Pot. nit. ..
                                                          5ii.
    Pulv. resinæ
                                                      .. - 5ij.
    Cupri sulph.
                                                      .. 5j.
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                           . .
    Sapo duro
                                                         3i i.
                                                     .. q.s. ut ft. bolus
    Glycerinum
One ball three times a week.
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Many are the recipes for diuretic balls, and great the faith placed in them by the carter and groom; but nothing has been more abused, or is a more frequent cause of disease and death, than the injudicious use of diuretics.

All the old writers, and many of the practitioners who could not write to save their own lives, were under the impression that any manifestation of kidney disease must need a violent stimulant, just as every ailment of the human form must require bleeding or purging when not requiring both; and so we find such remarks as the following from the pioneer of veterinary literature:-

" Take :---

Yellow resin in powder, 2 lbs.; nitre kali prepared, juniper berries and Castille soap, of each 1 lb.; cut the soap in thin slices, and the remainder reduce into powder; beat them into a mortar to a proper consistence and form them into a common-sized ball.

"These balls will be found excellent for carrying off and cleansing the kidneys and bladder from the stone and gravel. Horses are subject to the stone in the kidneys, and it is very common when a horse stales to see a large quantity of sand fall on the pavement, sometimes of a light brown, and from different horses the colour has varied according to their different habits of body. Horses subject to this disease are frequently troubled with obstructions in the urinary passages, which bring on the cholic or gripes and frequently terminate in an inflammation. A ball may be given every day in cases that are bad, but once a week will be sufficient when given as a preventitive."—Clater's Every Man his Own Farrier, A.D. 1809.

Modern science points to a very different kind of treatment, of which we shall speak hereafter, but diuretic doses in the case of grease, swelled legs, and skin affections are of great

value in judicious doses.

As an external remedy for grease, we have found the following the most serviceable:—

 Alum exsic.
 588.

 Cupri sulph.
 3ij.

 Cupri acet.
 3j.

 Acid. sulph.
 3ij.

 Aq. dest. ad
 3xxx.

M. Ft. lotio. Nocte mane que utendum cum stupâ.

To wash the leg clean with soap before applying the lotion is a good plan, as the lotion will be more effectually applied to a soft moist surface, and the dresser will not have to keep is hand wet with it so long. Since it is rather like the "sharp water" of the ancients, and any but the horny-handed carter will feel it round the finger nails after a few applications and perform his task in a perfunctory manner, it is as well to apply it on a short mop-stick made for the purposc. Grease is not nearly so prevalent to-day as it was fifty or one hundred years ago, when hairy-legged horses were much admired, and agricultural shows had not led to the general improvement in stock and the weeding out of stallions with hereditary diseases like the one under consideration. Although the pathology was but dimly understood, the successful treatment was, and although our pharmacy may be more elegant, the parent of the above recipe may be seen in the old work of Mr. Clater, a chemist whose recipes are still largely used by farriers and made up by them in great secrecy—not altogether a loss to the dispensing chemists, as the following will show:-

#### "Take of-

Ethiop's mineral, ½ oz.; millipedes, the same quantity; Castille soap, 1 oz. Make into a ball and wash it down with a pint of this decoction."

#### " Take of-

Madder-root and turmeric, of each, 4 oz.; burdock-root, sliced, ½ lb.; monk's rhubarb, 4 oz.; liquorice, sliced, 2 oz. Boil in a gallon of forge-water to 3 quarts; strain off, and sweeten with honey."

This, again, would hardly come under the head of clegant pharmacy:—

#### " Take of-

Linseed oil .. .. .. .. .. 1 pint

Put about one-fourth of it in a chamber pot; then add oil of vitriol, 2 oz., by a little at a time, keeping it constantly stirring at the same time with the other hand; when united add by a little at a time 4 oz. of spirit of turpentine; afterwards add the remainder of the linseed oil, and stir them well together; lastly, add oil of origanum, 1 oz.; compound tincture of myrrh, 4 oz. Mix and put them into a bottle for use."

The Veterinary Pharmacopeeia has the following lotion for grease:—

A SAFE COSMETIC. — Vigier (Gaz. Hebd.) recommends poric acid 1, rose water 100, English honcy water 5, as a Jotion which may be applied morning and evening to the face in cases of acne, redness, &c. The skin to be lightly moistened with the lotion.

CLEANSING RAGS FOR POLISHING METALLIC SURFACES.—Dip flannel rags into a solution of 20 parts of dextrin and 30 parts oxalic acid in 20 parts logwood decoction, wring them gently, and sift over them a mixture of finely pulverised tripoli and pumice-stone. The moist rags are piled upon each other, placing a layer of the powder between each two. They are then pressed, taken apart, and dried.—Am. Druggist.

To Prepare Chalk.—Pulverise the chalk thoroughly, and mix it with clean rain-water, in proportions of 2 lbs. to the gallon. Stir well, and let it stand for about two minutes. After the gritty matter has settled pour the water into another vessel, so as not to stir up the sediment. The settling in the second vessel will be prepared chalk, ready for use as soon as dried. It may be perfumed and coloured.—Am. Druggist.

#### THE INVENTIONS EXHIBITION.

#### THE CHEMICAL SECTION-FIRST NOTICE.

MR. H. B. CONDY, of Battersea, to whom is due the introduction of the alkaline permanganates, shows now "Condy's New Disinfectant," which was patented in 1884. This is offered in liquid and solid form, and is a compound of sulphate and permanganate of alumina. It is claimed that this compound renders available a much larger proportion of oxygen, and that it acts more rapidly than the alkaline permanga nates. Among other chemical inventions Mr. Condy shows hyposulphate of soda, a new medicinal salt, which he considers will be preferred to sulphate of magnesia, as being less drastic, and at the same time possessed of antiseptic properties. It is given in doses of  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. to 1 oz. He also shows a patent white lead, which is said to be superior in colour and body to that made by the Dutch process, so that it will bear a considerably-increased proportion of oil.

MESSRS. HOWARDS & SONS exhibit a collection of some of the products for which their firm has so long been famous, but it will be seen on closely examining this case that every-thing included is fairly new since 1862, in accordance with the official requirements. Cinchona bark dates back to a far more remote date, but the samples here shown are all specimens of cultivated barks from the East. The great enterprise of introducing cinchona into India has been entirely carried out within the past twenty-five years, and it was in May, 1863, that the late Mr. J. E. Howard performed the earliest analyses of Indian barks for the Government. These barks, therefore, and the alkaloids obtained from them, come most legitimately within the scope of this exhibition. Among the alkaloids exhibited will be found Cuprine, isolated by Dr. Paul and Mr. Cownley in 1885, and cinchonamine, which was first produced by Mr. Arnaud in 1883. The former is obtained from the *Remijia peduneulata*, and is shown as sulphate, and the latter, from Remijia purdicana, is shown as alkaloid and sulphate. Cinchonamine is said to be five times as toxic as quinine. At present, it is chiefly noted for the insoluble nitrate salt which it forms, on which account it has been suggested as a test for HNO<sub>3</sub>. Messrs. Howards also show coca leaves and cocaine hydrochlorate. The purity of this product is a matter of the highest importance. A probable cause of dissatisfaction with the alkaloid, which will need to be watched, may be the presence of hygrine, the accompanying inert alkaloid in coca leaves. Iodoform, which is also shown, has not been introduced into medical practice for more than about three years. It has been stated that this important antiseptic has been met with adulterated with picric acid, and with precipitated sulphur. We have no doubt that Messrs. Howards, who have given their careful attention to the manufacture of both cocaine and iodoform, will take care to maintain the high reputation of their firm in regard to the perfect purity of these important products. Their newly-introduced camphor blocks (compressed), and camphor flowers, specially suitable for pharmaceutical preparations, are also shown.

THE EGLINTON CHEMICAL COMPANY, of Glasgow, make a specialty of chromates and bichromates. The chromic salts of potash, soda, lime, ammonia, and alumina are shown. Patent bichromate of soda is said to be a satisfactory substitute for bichromate of potash, containing as much chromic acid and costing some 10l. per ton less. Chromate leather, tanned with bichromate of potash, is shown by this firm; it is said to be produced in one-fifth the time of ordinary leather, and at less than half the cost. At the same time it is claimed to be much more durable than ordinary leather, thoroughly waterproof, and suitable for all purposes of ordinary leather. Another exhibit by this company is silica bricks, made from pure flint, especially adapted by their refractory power and little liability to expansion for lining steel and iron heating-furnaces, arches of gasretorts, &c.

Messrs. Hopkin & Williams have only a small case, but it includes, as might be expected, several objects of pharmaceutical interest. Among the most novel chemicals we notice some of the oleates of the metals; a specimen of sulpho-carbolate of zinc just as it comes from the crystal-

lising-vats, some sulphate of copper purified from iron by a process which we are told is new and cheap and hitherto unpublished, though we do not gather that it is patented. Hydriodate of quinine shown by this firm is quite soluble in water, and is adapted for making syrup. "Zincuria" is a very rare and valuable substance which is likely to be used in place of lime in the oxyhydrogen lamp. When incandescent it gives off more light than perhaps any substance known, and is possibly even superior to the electric (incandescent) light. This firm also show salicylic acid made from the wintergreen oil, together with the soda-salt made from the same. This is very different in its form to the artificial acid made from coal-

MESSRS. MACKEY, MACKEY & Co. show especially their various preparations of cerium. This medicine was introduced into practice by Sir James Simpson in 1859, as a remedy in the vomiting of pregnancy. Since then it has acquired an established reputation. This firm have another case in which they show lubricating oils.

MESSRS. GASKELL, DEACON & Co., of Widnes, exhibit bleaching-powder, sulphite of soda, bicarbonate of soda, and crystal carbonate, all of which are made by processes invented and patented by them. Their crystal carbonate is an extremely pure and concentrated form of soda-crystals. and as it is free from caustic soda it has a great advantage over soda-crystals for laundry purposes. The bicarbonate of soda is made from crystal carbonate, and is in great demand by the public on account of its purity. It is understood that Messrs. Gaskell, Deacon & Co. make more bicarbonate than any other firm in the world.

The exhibit of Messrs. Burt, Boulton & Haywood is described in a pamphlet which they have drawn up as illustrating the history of thirty-eight years of their manufacturing operations in connection with the residual products of gas-making, and exemplifying the complete success with which these substances have been converted from offensive nuisances to very valuable products, every atom of which is now utilised. The experience of these exhibitors goes back to the time when coal-tar was but little utilised except for the purposes of producing naphthas for dissolving indiarubber, or for illuminating-oils and the heavy oils, or creasote, for the preservation of timber. Since 1862, however, coaltar products and the residual products of gas manufacture have been handed over to timber-preservers, alizarine-makers, manufacturers of aniline and other dyes, soap-makers, indiarubber manufacturers, manufacturers of sanitary antiseptics, patent fuel-makers, manure manufacturers, manufacturers of illuminants, manufacturers of lubricants, &c., and Messrs. Burt, Boulton & Haywood have introduced numerous improvements in the manufacture and purification of these substances, and also in the apparatus employed for those purposes. A very complete case of specimens of products from coal-tar and ammoniacal liquor is exhibited, and the nature of this industry, and of the group of industries connected with these products, is very clearly illustrated by a series of large diagrams which have attracted considerable attention, and which were exhibited by Mr. S. B. Boulton at the Institution of Civil Engineers last year on the occasion of a paper by him being read before that body. Many of these coal-tar products are of great purity and beauty, and they show the wonderful progress which has been made of late years in this important branch of chemical manufactures. A separate industry, namely, the antiseptic preparation of timber, is also illustrated by Messrs. Burt, Boulton & Haywood, and in this connection they exhibit many specimens of creasoted wood which have resisted decay for periods of from seventeen to thirty years. A complete model is also shown of an improved method of preparing timber with creasote, patented by Mr. S. B. Boulton in 1879. By means of this invention one of the principal impediments to the success of the creasoting process, namely, the wetness of timber at the time of preparation, is effectually remedied. The whole of the moisture is by means of this improved process drawn out of the timber without subjecting it to such a heat as would injure the texture of the wood, and the water withdrawn is replaced at the same time by the creasoting fluid in such quantity as may be specified by the engineer. The explanatory pamphlets drawn up by this firm are worthy of attention, as they contain in a very succinct latter are exhibited with the moulds and the materials used

form a considerable amount of information which may be useful as matters of permanent reference to those who are interested in this class of industries.

#### JAPANESE SECTION

Two of the most striking discoveries made since 1860 are the discovery of Japan by Western Civilisation and of Western Civilisation by the Japanese. It is scarcely more than 25 years ago when our ambassadors in Japan went in fear of their lives, and the other day a courteous Japanese commissioner in European dress gave us interesting information in well- hosen English on subjects which must be far out of the usual course of education even in Japan.

Perhaps the most recent introductions from Japan are menthol cones, unknown five years ago, and now in universal use throughout the civilised world. Their use in headaches and neuralgia, the method of application, and the very form in which the drug is put up have been borrowed from the Japanese, and a number of cones in little cases that look quite English are exhibited in the section. Japanese peppermint oil, and the same "purified," are also shown, both being iquid. Japanese camphor, or "moth expeller" (a translation of the Japanese name), cod-liver oil, and clove oil exhaust the list of drugs exhibited. The latter is distilled by Kividzumi Mohei in an apparatus invented in 1877 by the exhibitor's father. A drawing of the apparatus is shown, the peculiarity being that a rather thick layer of charcoal is placed in the head of an ordinary still, so that all the vapour must pass through it. The oil is used in Japan for lubricating delicate machinery and instruments, and also in perfumery.

In pharmacy almost the only exhibit is a large bottle labelled "sugar extracted from malted rice," in reality, a malt extract, which can be sold at 3s. per kilogramme. This is also combined with citrate of iron, and with cod-liver oil. An interesting object is a small copper still for distilling alcohol and saki, the Japanese brandy. This has a distinctive character. Above the ordinary one are six other lentiform heads connected by short lengths of tube. Each is made the bottom of an open pan, which can be filled with cold water and emptied by means of a tap. From the uppermost a pipe conveys the vapour to an ordinary condensing worm. It will be seen that this apparatus provides an effective method of

rectification within comparatively small space.

In druggists' sundries again the Japanese take the lead in some things. The Americans seem to have found the idea of their wooden tooth-picks in Japan. They are made of various kinds of wood, some having a pleasantly scented Tooth-brushes are made of sticks of willow wood, from the size of a cedar pencil downwards, nicely rounded and tapered. The thicker end is frayed for about  $\frac{3}{3}$  of an inch, and forms a dense and rather soft brush. These are supplied to visitors in the Japanese hotels, are used once, and thrown away. Tooth-powder, called "Ko-maclii-no-tomo," is also exhibited. A washing-powder for ladies' hair is made from ground peas, a suggestion which might be worth a trial. A kind of sachet-power used for this purpose, and also as a perfume, is put up in little bamboo bottles. These are made by cutting off close below the joint a few inches of a handsome rich brown bamboo. The open end is plugged with wood, and at the other, just above the natural septum that forms the bottom, a little hole is bored and fitted with a movable plug of wood. When any of the powder is wanted it can be shaken out from this aperture in any required quantity. Medicated toilet-paper, containing a little salicylic acid, and also oiled paper, very tough, for surgical purposes, are both displayed. Surgical ligatures made from the tendons of whales are somewhat novel. Their use for this purpose was suggested in 1875 by Ishiguro Tadeneri, a surgeon in high office, but it was not till some years later that they were generally adopted. Hechimas are the Japanese equivalents of loofahs, wich they much resemble. They are the fibrous tissue of a good, probably a species of luffa. They are used not only for washing purposes, but are introduced, cut into shape as a sanitary sole, for the prevention of cold and damp feet.

Soy, in Japanese shôyu, from the soja bean, cherry blossoms, preserved with salt, and used as a kind of tea (made by infusing two or three flowers in hot water), and various sweetmeats, will have some slight interest for our readers.

in their manufacture. Sea-weed gelatine, beans, wheat, and tea, all in powder, are used in combination with sugar, and there is a very handsome specimen of "rocky eandy" made of crystallised sugar alone. Most of the exhibits mentioned are from the Japanese Pharmaceutical Establishment, Tokio, but there are also private exhibitors. We are indebted to Mr. T. Wattase, the Japanese Commissioner, for the readiness and courtesy with which he gave us information.

#### GERMAN PLANT NAMES.

THE name of Pritzel is well known to all workers in the literature of botany. His "Thesaurus Literature Botanice," Leipzig, 1851, Ed., II. 1872, are simply invaluable guides to the subject. They involved very great research into botanical works of all periods, and it is little to be wondered at that a patriotic German botauist, well versed in literary history and with philological leanings, should be attracted by the variety and interest of the plant names of his Fatherland. With the co-operation of Prof. Jessen, he commenced and completed the compilation of an exhaustive eollection of these names. But he did not live to see it printed. The first part was issued in 1882, and the conclusion, containing the names of the fungi, an exhaustive index, and a list of the

authorities quoted, appeared last year.

The book contains 700 pages. The Latin names of the plants are arranged in strict alphabetical order, species of the same genus being numbered with Roman numerals. Beneath the Latin name eomes a brief paragraph in small type giving where necessary the scientific synonyms of the present day, the Latin names used in the middle ages, and where possible brief numbered etymologies of the German, and sometimes of the Latin, names. Then follow in two columns the German names, from the Gothie, where known, through old and middle high German and middle low German, to the dialects in use from the North Sea and the Baltic to the eonfines of Russia and the Alps. The names still in use in druggists' shops, or recorded in German literature from the earliest times, are all collected, and often do much to explain each other. The general formula may be illustrated from Curcuma longa:-

#### Curcuma longa, L. Amomum curcuma.—Murray.

Names from those used in middle ages, (1) Curcuma, the Persian name for saffron; (2) terra merita; (3) the ginger-like East Indian saffron yellow rhizome, formerly used as medicine and spice, and now as a dye.

> Curcuma, Curcume Gelbruchtswurz Gelbwurz Gilburtzel Gilbwurzimber

Gurkume, Gurkumey Gelber Ingwcr Kurkuma Mülleringwer Babilonischer Safran

For some reason not meutioucd the names of the fungi are eolleeted in a separate section. There are three indexes—a most useful one of the mediaval Latin names of plants; a second containing 24,000 German names; and a third of the personal names applied to plants. This collection differs from the "Dictionary of English Plant Names," of Britten and Holland, now in course of publication by the English Dialect Society, in that it is not confined to the names of plants indigenous to Germany, but includes all introduced and cultivated plants, even those varieties of wheat, cabbages, and lettuces that are not merely gardeuers' kinds. The dahlia, the fig, vanilla, and aloes all find a place.

Not the least interesting part of the book is the list of authorities, occupying pages 636 to 695. Pritzel left nothing of the kind, but it has been supplied as far as possible by Jessen. One of the authorities quoted is "Synonyma Apothecariorum sive Voeabularius simplicium." This is a manuscript list of simples apparently in use all over Germany during the first half of the fifteenth century as the general apothecaries' lexicon of drugs. About 400 different plants, mostly German natives, are enumerated, of which about 375 have been identified with sufficient certainty. It seems to have been a systematic compilation from all the oldest German botanical writers, as Saint Hildegard (A.D. 1099-1179), Albertus Magnus (A.D. 1193-1280), the "Herbarius," the "Ortus Sanitatis,"

and so forth, and this fact makes the signification of the various names more certain than is usually the case. is a copy in the Library at Trinity College, Cambridge, in which Dutch (Niederlandisch) names are added. In 1519 it was printed in a condensed and modified form at Strassburg by Lorenz Friese (Phrisius). Even older manuscripts are quoted from the elaborate compilations of Dieffenbach, Graff, and others, and the whole range of German lexicons and botanical literature down to 1875, including the local floras enumerated in the "Thesaurus Literature Botaniee" has been laid under contribution.

Another authority interesting for its own sake is a manuscript catalogue, most carefully compiled by Senator J. Lehman, between the years 1850 and 1870, of the names by which various articles were asked for in an apotheke at Rendsburg. The names he records show the word formation that is going on at the present day, as in all previous generations, by confused or mistaken pronunciations of foreign or

little-known words.

Without pretending to give anything like an adequate account of the contents of this work, we propose to extract some of the names recorded as given to eertain drugs. It may be as well to explain the meaning of the divisions of the German language, which are constantly referred to. The literary language of Germany is, and has been ever since the days of Charlemagne, the high German. It is spoken in various dialects all over Germany. Its history may be traced through three periods. The present or new high German period dates from Luther; the middle high German period extends from Luther backwards to the twelfth eentury; the old high German extends from thence to the seventh eentury (Max Müller's "Lectures on the Science of Language." Ed. 7, vol. i., p. 204). We have Gothic documents of the fourth century, and this is the only dialect of the German races of which we have any records earlier than the seventh century. It died out in the ninth century.

It is known that the Rumex alpinus, L., a large species of

dock, received in the later middle ages the name Rhabarbarum monachorum. The German botanist Bock, better known as Tragus, translated this name into Müuchsrhabarber, and our sixteenth-century herbalists transferred it to R. lapathum, the most nearly allied English species. But although the drug rheum is mentioned in the "Synonyma Apothecariorum" as rebarber and reubarber and Rheum rhaponticum, L., is also recognised as repontik or reupontick there seems to have been no officinal name for the monk's rhubarb. In Allgan, at the present day, it is, indeed, ealled Rhabarba, and, in Bern, Rherbarbare; but in the Bernese Oberland it is ealled Blacken and Blagde, and, in the druggists' shops, Butterbletschen and Geduldkraut (herb patience). Blacken, blagde, bletschen are connected with Blatzeu, old high German Plezza (hanging rags); butter is our English word. Both Geduldkraut and this other set of names show a certain confusion with other plants. Geduld, Kräutlein Geduld, das Kraut Patientia, and Pazienkraut are names for Rumex patientia; Botterbladen, Butterampfer (Ampfer is nearly synonymous with Blatzen), Butterblätter, Butterlattich, Butterplötscher, and similar names are given to Rumen crispus, R. obtusifolius, and other species, such as are commonly called docks, the leaves of which were used for wrapping butter.

Resin, "originally from Pistacia terebinthus, L., now from several coniferæ," retains in old and middle high German and in the "Synonyma Apotheeariorum" names which seem to hint at an idea that it came from Greece. In old high German the boiled resin or colophony was known, among other names, as crispech, erispet, erispot; in middle high German as krikenspech; in the "Synonyma Apothecariorum" as Grekespek, Grekespex, Greksbech. This series seems to explain itself as Greeks' pitch, though the meaning of the oldest names is very doubtful. In old high German the same resin was also known as gesoden harz, = boiled resin, and harzôch, harzueh. The resin of Larix Europæa, of the Southern Tyrol, was known as lergat, lergedt, lerget; in middle high German as gloriet, surviving in Switzerland as lörget, lorgiot, lörkat; while, in a voeabulary dated 1482, we find loriath and loriot for the resin, and loriet, lorietbaum for the tree. Schmeller, in the Bavarian Dictionary, gives lörgiot and loriot as Cimbrian names for the tree, and lergat as the name in Carinthia. There are many intermediate forms connecting this with the Latin larix. One curious interpretatiou of the word larix derives it from "lares," the house-gods,

and makes it the hauspaum (house-tree).

It is only in middle high German that the name turpentine appears, showing an increasing familiarity with the substance, or greater trade intercourse with the Greeks. then find zerbeneise, zerbenesi, zerbentine, zerbenzeri, zerbenzine, and zurubanzen, derived from terebinth, the name of the tree producing it. These, however, are parallel with Bullbech and Bullharz (pill-pitch or pill-resin), which apparently refer to the shapes in which the resin exudes.

Common or yellow resiu had for its oldest names, flied, sciffa, and hartza or harz, the latter meaning hard or hardened.

Balsam of tolu is asked for as Amerikanischer balsam, Carthagenabalsam, Hondurasbalsam, and St. Thomasbalsam,

as well as by its proper name, Tolubalsam.

Some of the vulgar names of Resina Taeamahaea will raise responsive memories in the minds of every assistant. How like Hak und Tak and Hick und Hack are to the corruptions so well known to us!

One name for copaiba is Weisser (white) Perubalsam, while the real Peruvian balsam is called both white and black (Weisser oder Schwarzer Perubalsam). Damar is sometimes called Katzenaugenharz (cats'-eyes resin).

For gum elemi German druggists are asked under the names of Elemiharz, Oelbaum gummi (olive-tree gum), Oelbaumharz, and Wildoelbaumharz, while in the Rendsburg list Eneme is given. The last four names are interesting monumental records of the history of the drug as given in the "Pharmacographia." Theophrastus (third century B.C.) says that a little above Coptus, on the Red Sea, grows the olive (elaia), from which exudes a substance much valued to make a medicine for the staunching of blood. Pliny says that in Arabia the olive tree exudes tears, which are an ingredient of the medicine called by the Greeks enhaemon. from its efficacy in healing wounds. Dioscorides briefly notices the gum of the Ethiopian olive, and his commontators have generally adopted the opinion that this was none other than the substance known to them as Elemi. This name is not found in documents before the middle of the fifteenth century. Gommi Elempnij occurs in the Frankfort list (circa A.D. 1450), and Gumi elemi in a similar list of the drugs in the apothecary's shop at Nördlingen (A.D. 1480). Enhæmon is probably the origin of the word Animi, formerly applied to Elemi, but now to a sort of copal, and, so long ago as 1537, Brassavola suggested that the word elemi is derived from the same source, "gummi elemi dicti quasi enhæmi." The fact that the lazy or unskilled rustic tongue changes elemi into eneme at the present day gives considerable support to this suggestion, and the other names show the popular remembrance of the old idea that elemi was produced by the olive tree, wild or cultivated. About the end of the seventeenth century an American resin began to be sold in place of the primitive elcmi, and for the last 20 years an entirely different drug, produced in the Philippines, has displaced all other kinds.

Scammony is a euphonious name not easily mispronouuced. In the middle German period, when it was introduced, it was spelt scammonie, scamonie, and scamponie; later we have the forms schaffönie and schaffonie. But the curious thing is that Helleborus niger, the Christmas rose, is called scampoine in old high German; schaffönie, schoffonie, aud schamphonien in middle low German; while Veratrum album in the Synonyma Apotheeariorum is called scamponie, schamphonie, and schampanirwurz in the apothekes of the present day. The confusion arose, doubtless, from the somewhat

similar medicinal effects.

Annatto, Bixa orellana, L., has only four names—butterfarb = butter colour; orlean, from the specific name orellana; and stephanulrich and urian, from the Indian name urucu.

The only clear geographical idea to be gained from the names of the Capsieum annuum is that it is not German. It is called cayennepfeffer, guineapfeffer, brasilischer, indianische, hispanischer, and kalickuttischer pfeffer; also hennenpfeffer (i.e. hen's), negropfeffer, kappenpfeffer (i.e. cowl pepper), and polter hannes. The only older name is brunsilgen peper, which is equivalent to burning pepper, with reference to the colour. This leads naturally to what was known as Brazil wood. This was the wood of Casalpinia sappan, an East Indian tree, the oldest red dyc-wood, known long before Brazil was discovered. Even in mediæval Latin the names Presilium and Prisilium occur. In middle high I original judgment.

German we find the forms Bresil, Presil, Prisel, also used as adjectives with Holz=wood. In middle low German occur-brisilges and brunsilgenholt, prisilge, prisilie, prisilig, and prisilige; all these are connected with words meaning burning, and allude to the red or "burning" colour of the wood. Brazil owes its name to the fact that a red dye-wood or "bresil" wood was obtained from thence.

Fenugreek, in the middle ages called Fenum grecum and fenogrecum, has most of its names derived from these words or a translation of them. The oldest names (old high German) are diolde and römskle; the latter, in middle high German, römischer Klee or Klehe, meaning Roman clover. high Germau the commoner name seems to have been krichishew, kriechischhewe, kriechshöwe, krieschheuwe, crichshowe; in the "Synonyma Apothecariorum," grekeshew or -haw, gresches houw; and in Friese's abbreviated edition, griechisch howi: in the anothecaries' shops of the present day, griechisch heu = Greck's hay, a translation of the Latin fænum græcum. In Elsass this has been corrupted to Grünschau = green show.

But in middle low German fenugrec was the name, and in the anothekes of to-day it is asked for as "fönugrek." There have been some remarkable corruptions. been called "fännezwock" in Brandenburg. In Northern Germany the plant is called fine greet and fine greetzen; at Gottingeu fine greiten, as if it meant fine Gretchen, Gretchen being the diminutive of Margaret. Hence in East Prussia. in 1590, it was called, by a further misunderstanding—schöne (beautiful), Margret, and is still in some parts schöne Marie. The adjective is then dropped, and in Göttingen, Hamburg, and Mecklenburg, it is known as Margret. Bockshorn, buck's horn, Küh-horn, cow's horn, and perhaps rehkörnli, the Bernese name (query reh connected with roe) refer to the horn-shaped seed-pod. Siebengezeit, "seven times," in use in the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries, is explained by Tabernæmontanus:— "seven times a day its scent comes and goes when it grows in the garden." In Thuringia, at the present day, the legend survives in stundenkraut, hour herb.

A few miscellaneous names may be mentioned. Lilium martagon is called Chymisten-Ilgen, chemist's lily, by Frischlin, in 1590. The Latin name of the columbine genus Aquilegia has generally been connected with aquila, an eagle. But another interesting suggestion is here presented. In middle high German we have acculey, ackelege, acquiley, and acherram; in middle low German akeleye, in Hildegarde, agleia, and in later editions, agleva and ageleia; in the 'Synonyma Apothecariorum," acaleye and ackeleyn; in the Hortus Sanitatis, ackelei and aglei, and other forms; the name survivives in Austria as akeley. Now these names are from the German akelei = häckelëi, häkel, a small hook, the name being a most descriptive one for the five-hooked flowers. In Albertus Magnus the Latin name is given as aquilea, and it is only later that it appears as aquilegia.

SQUEAKY BOOTS may be cured by the injection of powdered French chalk with a suitable instrument through a perforation in the inside sole, and an abundant use of the same article (or talc) when making up the boots will render them silent for ever. We are requested by our corre-spondent to bring this infallible cure under the notice of certain gentlemen who perambulated the neighbourhood of the table during the adjourned Council general meeting of the Pharmaceutical Society.

TRADE-MARKS IN FRANCE.—A case of some pharmaceutical interest has been lately decided in France. The well-known perfumery house of Violet have for years manufactured a toilet soap which they call "Savon de Thridace." Messrs. Javal & Parquet have manufactured and sold a soap which they describe as "Savon au lait de Thridace." The house of Violet sued their competitors for infringement of their rights, but the civil tribunal of the Scine before which the case first came rejected the claim of exclusive right put forward, on the ground that the term "Thridace" is the scientific designation of the milk extracted from the lettuce, and is used to describe that product in the Codex, which gives a formula for a syrup of thridace; and that therefore a soap prepared from the milk of the lettuce can only be correctly described by that name. Messrs. Rehus & Co. (Violet) appealed, but the higher court maintained in all respects the



Prosecution under the Weights and Measures Act.

At the Great Prescott Street Police Court, Whitechapel, on July 6 last, before H. W. Gadestone, Esq. (chairman), the Hon. E. Freemantle, and Messrs. Crowder and Martineau, Joseph Burton, chemist and druggist, of 397 Cambridge Road, London, E., was charged that he had on May 22 last in his possession for use for trade thirty-five certain weights, to wit—ten of 2 drachms each, five of 1 drachm each, eight of 2 scruples each, two of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  scruple each, seven of  $\frac{1}{2}$  scruple each, one of 6 grains, one of 5 grains, one of 3 grains, which upon examination were found to be not stamped.

The defendant pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Porter (of Messrs. Glaisyer & Porter, solicitors, Birmingham): I appear for the defendant in this case on the instructions of the Secretary of the Chemists' and Druggists' Trade Association of Great Britain.

The Assistant-Inspector of Weights and Measures for the district, in reply to the Magistrates' Clerk, said that on May 23 last he went to defendant's shop, 397 Camhridge Road, and there found the thirty-five weights mentioned in the summons.

Mr. Porter: The summons gives May 22 as the date of the visit?—A. Yes; it was on the 22nd.

Q. And these weights are not stamped according to the statute?—A. No.

#### Cross-examined by Mr. Porter.

- Q. When you went into Mr. Burton's shop on May 22, I helieve you asked for him?—A. No, I did not. Mr. Faulkner did.
- Q. Who is Mr. Faulkner? A. Mr. Faulkner is the inspector.
  - Q. And what are you?—A. 1 am Mr. Faulkner's assistant.
  - Q. The assistant-inspector under the Act?—A. Yes.
- Q. And you accompanied Mr. Faulkner on his visit of inspection on May 22?—1. I did.
- Q. And you and the inspector together hoth went to Mr. Burton's shop ?—A. Yes.
- Q. Well, what took place when you reached the shop?—A. We found the weights.
- Q. What weights?—A. The weights complained of and others,
- Q. Where did you find them?—A. Some in drawers and some on the counter.
  - Q. What drawers?—A. Scale-drawers.
  - Q. Did you open the drawers?—A. No.
  - Q. Who did then ?—A. Mr. Faulkner.
- Mr. Porter (addressing the Bench): Would it not he advisable that the inspector should give this evidence himself? Is he not in attendance?

The Magistrates' Clerk: Yes; call him.

David Faulkner was then called.

Q. Your name is David Faulkner?—4. Yes.

Q. And you are the Inspector of Weights and Measures for this district?—A. Yes.

Q. You have heard the evidence given by the last witness?
—A. Yes.

Q. And you corroborate what he has stated ?—A. Yes.

Q. You went to defendant's shop with your assistant on May 22 last, and there found thirty-five weights not stamped according to law?—A. Yes.

Q. And these weights are the weights enumerated on the

summons ?-A. They are.

#### Cross-examined by Mr. Porter.

Q. In what part of the shop did you find the weights?—A. Some weights were on the counter openly, and others were in drawers.

Q. We will confine ourselves to the weights mentioned in the summons, if you please.—1. They were in different

praces.

- Q. Then, taking the weights in the order in which they appear on the summons, we have first ten 2-drachm weights; where did you find these particular weights?—A. They were all mixed up—some were openly on the counter, and some in drawers.
- Q. Were not some of the weights which you took away with you, and which are mentioned in the summons, in a small drawer of the large scale-hox, and not in the small scale-drawer?—A. I do not know.

Q. Were there not two pairs of scales in the shop?—A.

There might have heen.

- Q. Were there, or were there not? Please answer my question.—A. I could not swear either way; there might have been.
- Q. Do you mean to tell me that you went into defendant's shop, and examined his weights, and tested his scales, and that you cannot tell me if he had one or two pairs of scales in his shop?—A. I could not say positively, hut I think there were two pairs.
- Q. Very well, there were two pairs of scales there, and having tested those scales that fact should he within your knowledge. Will you swear that all the weights complained of, excepting the smallest of all, the 3-grain weight, were not in a box in the large scale-drawer, and not in the small scale-drawer?—A. I will.

Q. You will swear that with the exception of the one weight they were not in a box in the large scale-drawer ?—A.

I will.

Q. Then where were they?—A. They were all mixed up with the other weights, some on the counter and some in drawers.

Mr. Porter: I think it will perhaps save time if I state that there were two pairs of scales in the defendant's establishment, one set for use with avoirdupois weights, and the other for apothecaries' weights. All the weights complained of are apothecaries' weights, and I am instructed that the whole of these, with the exception of the one 3-grain weight, were not in use for trade at all, hut were placed in a hox with other oddities in the drawer of the large scales, with which scales such weights are not used. Now, Mr. Faulkner, were all the weights complained of, save and except the 3-grain weight, not in the drawer of the large scales?—A. No, not all of them.

Q. All hut the one 3-grain weight, then ?—A. No.

 $\tilde{Q}$ . Then in how many drawers were they?—A. Two, and some on the counter.

Q. Is it not a fact that only the one 3-grain weight was in the drawer of the small scales?—A. I am not sure.

Q. Then where was the small 3-grain weight?— A. I don't know; they were all mixed up.

Q. Was it in either of the drawers?—A. I believe so.

Q. Is it not true that of all of the weights seized the one 3-grain weight was the only one you found in the drawers of the small scales?—A. No; there were other weights I took in the same drawer.

Q. What other weights did you seize from that small-scale

drawer?-A. I could not say that.

Q. Then how do you know that any of the other weights complained of were found in the small drawer?—A. I can only say that all the weights seized were in defendant's possession; that they were mixed up with other weights, some on the counter and some in drawers.

The Chairman: You say that on the date named you found in the defendant's shop the weights complained of unstamped, mixed up with other weights, near two sets of scales?—A. Yes.

Mr. Porter: Have you tested these weights?—A. I have.

Q. And you found that they were all correct as to weights? A. Yes; the defendant is not charged with their being inaccurate.

O. Then all the weights are good standard weights as far as the weights are concerned, but they do not happen to be stamped?—A. That is so.

The Magistrates' Clerk: That is the case.

Mr. Porter: I shall be able to show your worships that there are three or four sets of standard weights in actual use in the defendant's business, exclusive of the weights complained of, which, with the exception of the one 3-grain weight, were not in use for trade at all. Chemists employ in their business two distinct systems of weights, viz., the ordinary avoirdupois weights and apothecaries' weights, and they have separate scales for use with these. Avoirdupois weights are used for the sale of goods over the counter, and apothe-caries' weights mostly for dispensing prescriptions. The inspector tested both pairs of scales and found them accurate. He then tested the avoirdupois weights, and found them accurate and duly stamped. Then, as to the apothecaries' weights, all the weights complained of the inspector admits are of full standard weight, so that the defendant had nothing whatever to gain, nor had he gained anything, nor would he have gained anything by using these weights complained of even supposing they were used in his business. My contention is that, save and except the one 3-grain weight, which I will refer to later, none of these weights were in use for trade. These weights, which before the Board of Trade Standard were perfectly legal standard weights, were, I am instructed, in a small box with gas-burners and other sun-dries in the large-scale drawer, with which scale they would not be used, being apothecaries' weights. The defendant had in the small drawer a set of duly-stamped apothecaries' weights, and he also had in his possession two other sets of similar weights, duly stamped, the invoices for which, dated November and December, 1882, and February, 1885, I hold in my hand, and which weights were shown to the inspector. The one 3-grain weight belonging to the set in use had been mislaid a few days before the inspector's visit, and subsequently found. At the time of the inspector's visit an unstamped but perfectly accurate weight had been put in its place. This was the only unstamped weight in use at the time of the inspector's visit. The 29th section of the Act states "that a person who uses, or has in his possession, for trade any unstamped weight is liable to a fine of 5l. for the first offence." Now, I am unaware that there is anything in the Act which prevents a man keeping in his possession old weights which are perfectly accurate as to their weight, and which were good legal standard weights at the time they were made and used, and before the Board of Trade standards were set up and stamping was enforced by Act of Parliament, provided, of course, that he does not use them for the purpose of trade. Surely he may keep such relics as curiosities if he likes, and I am instructed that he had these weights so stowed away with old gas-burners and other sundries in chipboxes in the large-scale drawer, and that they were not in use for trade, and if I can show this and that my client had sufficient weights for his business purposes, duly stamped and in actual use, in his possession-and of these facts I shall call evidence-I trust that the Bench will feel it their duty to dismiss this summons. You will see I am placed at a considerable disadvantage in defending this case, because, through the 59th section of the Act, it places the presumption of guilt upon my client. There is no saving clause allowing him to be called as a witness on his own behalf. His mouth being closed, I can only call the assistant in his shop, who is his son, and who has been in his father's business more than three years. He will swear positively that during the whole of that time he has not used the weights complained of, with the one exception I have mentioned, for trade purposes.

The Chairman: But he is not the only person who has had access to these weights?

Mr. Porter: I have only to deal, sir, with the circumstances at the time of the inspector's visit. If I show that at that time, and for a reasonable time previously, the weights complained of were not used for trade purposes either by the defendant or his assistant, I rebut the presumption of guilt placed by the 59th section on my client.

The Chairman: But if other people besides your witness

had access to the weights, how can his evidence prove that the weights were not in general use by others?

Mr. Porter: Do the Bench hold that the defendant had no

right to have these weights in his possession?

The Chairman: No, we do not say that; but we do not see how you can prove by means of one witness, other persons having access to these weights, that they were not used for trade purposes.

Mr. Porter: Perhaps I had better call my evidence. It is impossible that I can call other persons than the defendant

and his assistant.

Percy Burton called, sworn, and examined by Mr. Porter.

Q. How long have you been in your father's business?—A. Three years.

Q. Is there anyone in the shop besides your father and yourself?—A. My mother.

O. And she is not here, as she is attending to the shop during the absence of your father and yourself, there being no other assistant?—A. Yes.

Q. I believe the inspector came to your shop on May 22!

A. Yes.

Q. What did he do?—A. He went behind the counter, and opened the scale-drawers.

Q. Did he examine the scales?—A. Yes.

Q. He then opened the scale-drawers and examined the weights ?-A. Yes.

Q. And took some away with him? -A. He did.

Q. Where did he find the weights that he took away with him?—A. With the exception of the one 3-grain weight they were all in boxes in the large-scale drawer.

Q. That is the drawer of the avoirdupois scales?—A. Yes. Q. And were these weights ever used for the purpose of

trade?-A. No.

Q. You never used them ?-A. No. Q. And never saw them used?—A. No.

Q. What weights were in the drawer of the small avoirdupois scales when the inspector came?—A. Legally-stamped weights, with the exception of the one 3-grain weight, which had been lost a few days previously, and since found in the cork-drawer.

Q. Your father had other sets of stamped apothecaries'

weights in his possession ?—A. Two sets.

Q. And these were shown to the inspector?—A. Yes.

Q. Will you swear that never since you have been in your father's business have you used any weight improperly stamped for the purpose of weighing articles for sale, with the exception of the one 3-grain weight referred to on the summons?—A. Yes.

Q. You will swear that confidently?—A. Yes.

The Chairman: Mr. Faulkner, do we understand that all the weights complained of are lawfully correct as to their weight, but are not stamped?

Mr. Faulkner: They would be lawful, sir, if they were

stamped, being accurate as to their weight.

Magistrate's Clerk: But they are not stamped, sir.

Mr. Porter: Neither, as my evidence shows, were they in

use for trade purposes.

Mr. Faulkner: There is one point, sir, that should not be overlooked. When I directed witness' attention to the weight seized not being stamped, he said they were only used occasionally to replace others lost or mislaid.

Mr. Porter: Was not the inspector then examining the avoirdupois weights, and were you not referring simply to

those ?—A. Yes.

Mr. Porter: And these weights are not complained of?-A. No.

The Chairman: The decision of the Bench is to inflict a nominal fine of 2s. 6d.

PROSECUTION FOR THE SALE OF SHEEP-DIPPING POWDER IMPROPERLY LABELLED.

AT the Town Hall, Ellesmere (Salop), on Monday, July 6, before Captain Walcott (chairman) and a full Bench, Edwin Kyffin Bickley, grocer and hop and seed merchant, of Scotland Street, Ellesmere, was charged with having sold to Alfred Short Wright, assistant secretary to the Chemists and Druggists' Trade Association of Great Britain, on June 24 last, a certain poison, to wit, a preparation of arsenic contained in sheep-dipping powder, being a poison within the meaning of the Pharmacy Act, 1868, which poison when sold was contained in a certain packet, the cover of which packet was not distinctly labelled with the name and address of the seller of such poison, and that the date of the sale, the name and address of the purchaser, and the name and quantity of the article sold were not entered by the seller in a book kept by him for that purpose, in contravention of the statute in such case made and provided.

The defendant pleaded guilty.

Mr. Henry Glaisyer (Glaisyer & Porter, Birmingham, solicitors to the Chemists and Druggists' Trade Association) appeared for the prosecution, and the defendant appeared in

Mr. Glaisyer said the summons was issued under the 17th section of the Pharmacy Act, 1868, which he recited to The summons, he added, was taken out by the Bench. Mr. Alfred Short Wright, assistant secretary to the Chemists and Druggists' Trade Association of Great Britain, who on June 24 last went to Ellesmere and called at the shop of the defendant, where be purchased a packet of Cooper's sheepdipping powder, being a preparation of arsenic and a poison within the meaning of the Act; the label on the packet did not set forth the name and address of the seller, and it was supplied to plaintiff without any attempt to comply with the other formalities required by the statute. Mr. Wright had analysed the contents of the packet in question, and found it to be a preparation of arsenic. He informed the Bench that he was instructed not to press for a heavy penalty, as the object of the prosecution was to bring the provisions of the statute under the attention of traders in the district rather than to punish the defendant.

The defendant produced a packet of a similar preparation, which he said he had obtained from a neighbouring chemist. He alleged that it did not bear the seller's name and address, and that the other formalities required by the statute were not observed at the time of sale; and he thought it very unfair that the Association should have singled him out.

The Bench retired to consider their decision, and on returning into Court the chairman said they had given the case careful consideration, and defendant would have to pay a nominal fine of 5s. and costs.



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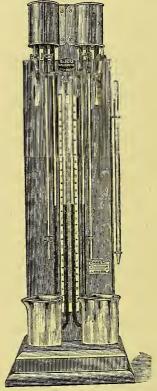
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#### BAKER'S PATENT CALORIMETER.

THE instrument figured below represents an ingenious apparatus devised and patented by Mr. T. J. Baker, a teacher of chemistry and physics in the Birmingham and Midland Institute, for demonstrating in classes and at lectures the well-known text-book facts concerning latent and specific heat. The usual method of experiment generally adopted hitherto has been to exhibit equal cubes of heated metal on a layer of wax, showing how much more rapidly one will melt its way through than the other. By the calorimeter the effect is shown much more accurately and effectively. This will be appreciated if we describe a single experiment. A solid cylinder of iron weighing 5.41 grammes and one of



lead weighing 20 grammes are first heated in water which is raised to the boiling point. They are then dropped one into each of the wells fixed on the top of the apparatus. Each well contains a similar measured quantity of water at ordinary temperature, and is surrounded by an air chamber. These air chambers are connected with air thermometers, in the bends of which coloured fluid is contained. It will be seen at once when this experiment is made that the 5.41-gramme cylinder of iron has communicated just as much heat and raised the column of fluid to exactly the same level as the 20-gramme cylinder of lead has done. A corresponding but obverse effect is produced if cylinders of the two metals but of equal weights are used. The instrument is likely to be highly prized in all science classes. It is made for the inventor by Messrs. J. Orme & Co., 65 Barbican.

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Alcohol, 90	••	 			823
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Alcohol	••	 	 	90
Carbolic acid		 	 	5
solve and filter				

For eczema, ringworm, disinfecting wounds, &c.

#### Tar Saponulate.

Dialysed stearine se	oap.,	 	 	5
Dialysed oil soap		 	 	2
Alcohol		 	 	811
Norway tar		 	 	10
Caustic soda		 	 	1
Oil of lavender		 	 	1
ssolve and filter.				

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#### THE BRITISH PHARMACOPŒIA, 1855.

WE are able to state that the proof-sheets of the new edition of the British Pharmacopæia have passed through their final revision at the hands of the Pharmacopæia Committee of the Medical Council, and are now, we believe, in course of preparation for the press. It is expected that the book will be ready for sale in about a month, and in our next issue we hope to be able to commence a critical review of its contents. We have had an opportunity of glancing through the work in its unfinished state, and it may be interesting to give in advance some particulars of its special features.

First, we notice that it extends to about 100 more pages than the edition of 1867. The general plan is the same as that with which we are now familiar, and our impression is

that but little interference has been made with the preparations in most general use. No revolution in weights and measures, such as our metricomaniacs would have desired. has been attempted. These are given in the old familiar form, but in a large number of instances a supplementary column has been added, in which the proportions are expressed in parts and fluid parts. This will often be found very convenient. As an example we may quote liquor hudrarauri perchloridi. This is ordered to be composed of 10 grains of the salt in 1 pint of water. In the supplementary column this is shown as 1 part to 875 fluid parts. Powders are described as of varying degrees of fineness, numbers from 20 to 60 being chosen to indicate these as siftings. Temperatures are still given in Fahrenheit degrees, but in all cases centigrade degrees are added in brackets. Some changes in nomenclature are observable. Alkaloids are all made to end in ina, which will change labels to Quininæ sulph., Morphinæ hydrochlor., &c. Dr. Attfield's chemical nomenclature seems to be generally adopted, as, for example, magnesii carb, instead of magnesiæ carb., calcium, potassium, sodium, &c., following the same style. Opium for preparations, is to be standardised to 10 per cent. of morphia, extract of nux vomica is to contain 15 per cent, of alkaloid, and the tincture 1 grain in the fluid ounce. Cinchona succirubra is chosen for preparations.

The Committee have evidently observed great leniency towards old preparations, and the few omissions will not be greatly mourned. They include areca, dulcamara, elm bark. digitaline, castoreum, iodides of cadmium, iron, and mercury (the green), quinine pills, gentian mixture, atropine solution, and a few preparations of some of the above. Novelties are much more abundant. Among these are boric, hydrobromic, lactic, chromic, meconic, oleic, and salicylic acids, aloin, caffeine and its citrate, coca leaves, and the hydrochlorate of cocaine, hydrochlorate of apomorphine and of pilocarpine. iodoform, jaborandi, thymol, menthol, gelsemium, cascara sagrada, and rhamnus frangula, oil of eucalyptus, dialysed iron, oleates of mercury and zinc, nitro-glycerine in the form of tablets, a hard and a soft paraffin to be used for certain ointments, salicine, santal oil, sulphate of morphia, hydrochlorate of quinine, sulphates of cinchona and of cinchonidine, ergotine, chrysarobin, and, of course, preparations of many of the above. The list we have given is by no means exhaustive. A tincture of chloroform and morphia apparently represents chlorodyne; this with "lamelle" of atropine, cocaine and physostigmine, a fluid extract of cascara sagrada, and a few preparations already named, seem to cover the adaptations from private enterprise.

This very imperfect survey will show that a great amount of labour has been devoted to the work, and we hope and believe that in consequence our new British Pharmacopœia will be found to be at least as advanced in regard to medical and pharmaceutical knowledge as are many of its continental and transatlantic contemporaries. It will be thoroughly satisfactory as regards printing and general style of production, and we understand it will be sold at a price which will only just cover the cost, six shillings being the probable figure.

#### PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH.

THE proposal submitted to the Pharmaceutical Council by the President at the last meeting to set about the task of promoting systematically some form of pharmaceutical research deserved, we think, a somewhat more cordial reception than it received. The gentlemen who did their best to damp the enthusiasm which is necessary to the success of such a scheme have been specially prominent eulogists of the great mission of pharmacy in this fallen

world. Certainly it would not be difficult to select from the recorded orations of Messrs, Hampson, Schacht, and Symes passages which have seemed to prosaic druggists indicative of a reverence for pharmacy, or rather for Pharmacy, such as most men reserve for their religion. But they are no sooner asked to sacrifice something on the altar of their goddess than their critical faculties find free play, and we are treated to a skilful display of reasons why we should hesitate before we decide to consider whether we shall consider the desirability of considering steps to be taken towards carrying into effect a scheme for advancing pharmaceutical knowledge. In deference, therefore, to the caution of the gentlemen named, the Council have only as vet got so far as to refer the consideration of the question to a committee. They have shirked for the moment the settlement of the principle of the resolution which it was their own special province to decide. Mr. Ruskin has lately declared his belief that he possesses "the most analytical mind in Europe." He would hardly assume the belt so lightly if he knew what competitors he has among pharmaceutical debaters.

The Pharmaceutical Society's charter is dated February 18, 1843, and it begins by setting forth that William Allen, Charles James Payne, Richard Hotham Pigeon, and divers others of the Queen's loving subjects had associated together "for the purpose of advancing chemistry and pharmacy." In the forty-two years which have elapsed since Victoria, of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, did will and declare that they should be incorporated for this as the first purpose of their programme, they have done nothing towards systematically carrying out their declared desires. Chemistry and pharmacy have advanced, and members of the society have aided that advance. But as an incorporated society it would be difficult to maintain that they have at all practically carried out Her Majesty's will and pleasure in respect of the intention recited.

The society has ample funds and can command plenty of éarnest and able recruits, who might and could do actual and appreciable, although in a sense intangible, service for the body of those who practice pharmacy as a means of livelihood. If pharmacy be anything beyond mere buying and selling, the present position of the society may be said to impose on it such a duty. And that duty ought to be carried out generously and with a full intention of obtaining results, and not with a half-hearted sceptical dilettanteism, as an experiment which is extremely likely to fail. One or two good salaries ought to be paid to competent men, and the Council ought to see that those salaries are honestly earned. Work that might be done by such an organisation is obvious, and without partaking in any degree of a commercial character might easily be of practical value. Mr. Carteighe suggested some such possibilities. The effects of solvents on drugs, pharmaceutical preparations of new remedies, careful criticism of official processes, and the many forms of pharmacological work, all offer an extended field for such investigation. The reports of such a laboratory should be published much more frequently than once a year, as is now proposed, and the recommendations proposed by the laboratory should be adopted by the Council or by some other responsible body representing the society, as has been done, in regard to non-official preparations, by the Pharmaceutical Society of Paris with great convenience.

We do not see the use of uniting with this any scheme of education, though the work could not fail to be educational, while any attempt to make it se'f-supporting pecuniarily will certainly ruin it. The arguments against State aid to research which Mr. Hampson seems disposed to raise do not apply in this case. There is no intention of taking forced

contributions and using them for a purpose which interests only a small section of taxpayers. In this case funds are only to be employed for the objects for which they were expressly collected. We believe all classes of chemists and druggists would derive benefit from the labours of such a laboratory if directed with fair judgment, and certainly the Pharmaceutical Society would itself gain prestige and respect if it carried out vigorously the first justification of its existence.

#### THE CONDITION OF TRADE.

THE opinion has grown so universal that the condition of trade throughout this country has reached almost the level of despair, that it is little less than flat heresy to pretend to discern any feature of brightness in the general gloom. There is no dispute as to the widespread depression; discussion occurs only in reference to its cause and cure. The weather, the stores, free trade, the land laws, the Queen, Mr. Gladstone, trades unions, inefficient education, emigration, Americans, Germans, Belgians, French-all are in turn accused of having brought about this mournful state of things. Individual instances are cited to support the widest general conclusions, while, on the other hand, thousands of people who say that they themselves have no reason to complain will add, "but no doubt trade is in an awful state." A very able financier and statesman has been looking into this general complaint, and, in a speech delivered to the Manchester Chamber of Commerce last month, Mr. Goschen presented the results of his investigation. He had no temptation to arrive at any particular conclusion, and had only sought to ascertain the true meaning of the very abundant supply of statistics which our complicated system of government now affords, correcting the apparent first meaning of one set of figures by comparison with others whenever necessary or possible. And this was pretty much the history of what he had discovered. He admitted the depression, he found that prices of almost all goods were low, and that from the low prices for raw materials manufacturers are not gaining any advantage; but he found that this epoch of depression had the peculiar feature that low prices and lack of speculation coincide with abundant capital.

But there is one remarkable contrast worthy of particular attention; it is that, notwithstanding the depression in trade, income-tax returns show a continual increase. The gross assessments of the income-tax have risen in the last fifteen years from 430,000,000l. to 600,000,000l. Mr. Goschen does not agree with Lord Derby, who rather hastily assumed lately that this difference of 170,000,000l. represents almost exclusively commercial profits. He shows from the returns in schedules A, B, and C that rents and various investments have helped to swell incomes very considerably, and he finds ultimately that the profits under schedule D, which, it must be remembered, include professional as well as commercial incomes, have only increased during the fifteen years by about 60,000,000l. But, after making allowances for professions and all other employments besides those of commerce, he asks, How much of that sum may not be put to the trade which has undoubtedly been greatly flourishing, and is flourishing now, viz., the retail trade of this country? He maintains that retail trades as a whole have been doing well. Where, he asks, do those profits go between the reduced cost of the raw material and the price paid by the consumer? Those profits cannot vanish; they must go somewhere. Evidently that portion which the consumer does not get is left with the distributor. So it is assumed that the retail trade must be in a satisfactory condition generally. This seems to be shown, too, by the more frequent increase of small incomes than of large ones. Between 1876 and 1882 there was an increase of 27,000 persons, or 20 per cent., who paid income-tax on incomes under 200l. Between that sum and 300l. the increase was 16 per cent.; between 300l. and 400l. the increase was 13 per cent.; while from 400l. to 1,000l. the increase was only  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent., and over 1,000l. only  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. These figures do not support the general theory of Henry George that, under present conditions, the rich are growing richer and the poor poorer.

Mr. Goschen shows further that the statistics respecting savings-banks, consumption of imported and produced articles, and pauperism, all show satisfactory features. Shipping shows remarkable results. In 1874 the tonnage entered and cleared in our ports amounted to 36,640,000 tons; in 1880 to 59,000,000; and in 1884 to 64,270,000 tons. This increase must represent an expanding volume of trade. The value of imports and exports per head of population has somewhat declined, but it is reasonable to believe that the volume of trade has increased. There are more cotton-factories, more spindles, and more people employed in the cotton trade now than five years ago. And all this time capital can be had at 2 per cent. What is the meaning of this? That the savings of the country have considerably increased.

Another characteristic of the present state of trade, which has possibly contributed to the depression, and which Mr. Goschen believes has certainly contributed to low prices, is the extraordinary extent to which middlemen have been abolished. Formerly in Mincing Lane, when cargoes of sugar were sold, one cargo would be sold five or six times over. Then the brokers were all cheerful; they said, "Here is a brisk business going on," and it imparted a certain buoyancy to the market, and there was great vivacity in the trade. Now if business is quieter it is also sounder. Which is preferable, he asked, to do business quietly for five years with no profits, or to have a large business for five years with large profits, but with a crash at the end which sweeps away nearly all the profits of the five years? Most people, though they will not admit it at once, would prefer four merry years and one bad one at the end rather than five dull years, because they have four years in which they say trade is brisk and only one in which trade is bad.

On the subject of over-production, which troubles many people, Mr. Goschen made some very useful observations. He asked, what do we mean by over-production? Of course we have an over-production compared with some years ago, a large over-production; and he thanks God for it. Where should we have been without it? Those who speak continually of over-production apply it to tea, to sugar, to cotton, to wool. They say, "Look at these enormous crops; look at the low prices! It is these confoundedly large crops that have done the mischief; they have sent the prices down. What a misfortune; what a curse!" But has this over-produced sugar rotted in the docks or passed into the stomachs of the people? Is this over-produced cotton lying unemployed or has it been worked up? Out of more than 10,000,000 tons of sugar imported in the last ten years the stocks have only increased some 100,000 tons. So with cotton, coffee, and other goods. Traders may object to this large production, but we are not justified as citizens in objecting to it, unless we see the stocks rotting in the docks. But Mr. Goschen does not think that consumers have enjoyed anything like a proportionate advantage of the low prices. As an illustration of this he says there was an enormous import of raisins from Smyrna. The consumption of raisins, however, did not increase. Because the grocers did not think it worth while to push such an insignificant article; and how many housewives in

the United Kingdom knew there were twice as many tons of raisins in the docks as at any other time?

We have not space for further quotations from this most able address, which dealt with many other features of national trade, but what we have extracted will suffice to show its interest. It may be added that the speech was published in full in the *Times* of June 24.

#### THE BY-LAWS OF THE PHARMA-CEUTICAL SOCIETY.

THE by-laws of the Pharmaceutical Society, which have occasioned so much wearisome eloquence, have at last passed the scruting of the Council and of the members of the Society. They are now beyond the effect of any pharmaceutical criticism, and their fate is entirely dependent on the will and pleasure of the Lords of the Privy Council, or perhaps it would be more correct to say, on the opinions of some of the permanent officers of that department. We shall be to some extent surprised if they are sanctioned at Whitehall, because one of the principal objects aimed at has been, some years since, definitely opposed by the Privy Council's own officer, for reasons of no little weight very forcibly expressed. There may be reason to suppose that Dr. Greenhow's opposition to the establishment of a compulsory curriculum will be withdrawn by himself or ignored by his superiors. If not, it must have great weight, and will almost certainly ensure the defeat of the by-laws. If the Pharmaceutical Council have been working without some reasonable anticipation of ultimate success in the Privy Council they have been merely wasting time in a wanton manner.

However this may be, it is obviously premature to discuss the effect of these by-laws on English Pharmacy. But the history of the progress of the discussion up to its present position is worthy of a glance. The demand for a compulsory curriculum was suggested, in the belief of all reasonable people, by the fact that the Bloomsbury School of Pharmacy was some years ago a declining institution. It had been publicly and prominently declared that in that school students were not "prepared for examination," and it naturally followed that students who wanted to be "prepared for examination" went somewhere else. A committee was appointed, not to see how the fortunes of the school could be restored, but to investigate the relations of pharmaceutical education and pharmaceutical examination. This committee played at being a Royal Commission, and examined all sorts of witnesses, and ultimately reported, the conclusion being what everybody knew it would be, namely, that a curriculum was necessary. When the Privy Council soon after asked the Pharmaceutical Council to offer some suggestions for more perfect regulations in regard to the sale of poisons, the latter body sprang at the chance of getting their curriculum regulations legalised by a Government Bill, and few of us have forgotten the ignominious manner in which their assistance was consequently declined without thanks. Failing a law, they resolved on the attempt to attain their purposes by by-laws. By-laws cannot over-ride nor go beyond the mother law. These may or may not do that; the Society's solicitor says they do not, but probably he would have preferred to win by a regular Act of Parliament if he could have done so. The by-laws were read, as required, at three meetings of the Council, and were then announced to be submitted to a special meeting of the Society for approval. Now comes the most doubtful proceeding of the history. A certain "Scotch difficulty" had arisen, and it was considered by the Council desirable to get a new by-law to deal with that. The Council, therefore, met an hour or two before the special meeting, and agreed to throw in this new by-law with the rest. The law says that "the making, altering, or abrogating of any by-law shall be in the following manner," that is. shall be read three times by the Council before submitting to the Society. There is no pretence that this one was read three times before the Council. Mr. Carteighe says this must be regarded merely as an amendment made in the course of the passage of the by-laws through the Council. In this assumption, he said at the meeting, they were legally authorised, but, as president, he refused to allow the solicitor to offer his own explanation of the law. The new by-law was in no sense an amendment to any of those which had been duly read; it had no relation to them at all, and could only have been regarded as an amendment if the whole system of bylaws had been under consideration. But what is still more to the point is that it was not brought forward as an amendment on either of the legal stages of the by-laws, but was introduced and read by the Council after the reading of the rest had been completed. It is simply impossible that this one can have been legally passed.

But the president, in this respect openly supported by the solicitor, insisted that the meeting had no power of alteration or of selection. It was necessary to accept or reject the new by-laws en bloc. The meeting, it was maintained, and, as we understand, the Privy Council also, can veto the whole, but cannot pass some by-laws and refuse to sanction others. That is intelligible; but if, as we consider, one of these by-laws has been irregularly adopted, it is almost certain that the whole will be rejected for this formal reason, and the Society will then be left in ignorance of the views of the Privy Council on the main question.

#### THE MOST POPULAR MEDICINES.

LAST month we published a table compiled by an American writer showing the comparative proportion in which twelve of the leading medicines had been ordered in 1,000 prescriptions which had been taken at random. It was shown that quinine was ordered 238 times, opium 136, nux vomica 130, iron 128, while iodine, mercury, bismuth, and bromine are altogether at 59 and 60 times. In June, 1868, we published an article by Mr. W. Willmott on "Medicine," in which a somewhat similar investigation is recorded. Mr. Willmott had analysed 1,000 prescriptions, but he did not give the details in a form which admits of exact comparison. He, however, found that quinine was far ahead of any other single medicine ordered, but, classifying all remedies in their natural groups, he found mercury prominently at the top, then potash, bark, opium, and iron. He found that out of the 768 simple and compound medicaments of the Pharmacopæia, only 485 occurred at all in these 1,000 prescriptions, while three-fourths of these were not prescribed 10 times in the 1,000.

#### POISONINGS IN 1883.

THE Registrar-General's Report for 1883 has lately been published. One of the interesting features of this important publication, and the only one we shall at present allude to, refers to the deaths during the year from poisons. This report concerns England and Wales only, and it appears that the total number of deaths registered during 1883 reached 522,997; of these 639 are attributed to poison. Further classifying these it seems that 374 (239 males and 135 females) were due to accident or negligence; 264 (163 males and 101 females) to suicide, and 1 (a male infant under one month old) to murder. Opium, or one of its preparations, is given as the agent in this case. Of the accidental deaths, 93 occurred to children under 5 years of age. The following

table represents the poisons charged with the deaths by accident and suicide of both males and females, following the classification of the Registrar-General. We print them in the order of their results.

<del></del>	ACCIDENT	SUICIDE
{ Opium, laudanum, morphia	88 55 79 20 8 21 24 	32 

Lucifer matches, water hemlock, and benzoline, each caused 3 deaths; paraffin, poisonous herbs, vegetable poisons, poisonous fish, liniment, improper food, oil of juniper, medicine (kind not stated), yew, poisonous berries, each caused 2 deaths; iodine, tartaric acid, Woodward's gripe-water, drugs to procure abortion, green paint, diseased meat, cayenne pepper, syrup of rhubarb (!), croton oil, nitre balls, copper, hydrate of tin (tinned salmon), and mushrooms caused 1 death each; all classed as accidental. For suicides the following poisons were also selected once each:—Chloride of zinc, atropine, bichloride of iron, bichromate of potash, lime, and salts of lemon.

There are several comments which might be made on these statistics, but the most noticeable fact of all appears to us to be the high place in the table taken by carbolic acid. This cannot be overlooked in any new legislation concerning the sale of poisons, and we cannot but think that the Privy Council have assumed a serious responsibility in refusing to sanction the application of existing safeguards to this most dangerous substance.

#### MONOPOLISING THE MARKETS.

ONE of the most extraordinary commercial organisations ever formulated has just been arrived at in the "soft-goods" trade. Readers of this journal are not specially interested in that industry, but as a similar spirit prevails, although it has not been reduced to a formal agreement, in other branches, we think it advisable to call attention to the subject. The agreement under reference runs as follows:—

We, the undersigued, Australian, New Zealand, and Tasmanian softgoods shippers, mutually agree to be bound by the following resolutions:-"We each and all bind ourselves, from June 30 next, not to buy goods, directly or indirectly, or transact business with any British or European manufacturer, warehouseman, or firm, who consign goods to, or who employ agents or travellers in any form in, the colouies of Australia, New Zealand, and Tasmania. It is understood that carpets and floorcloth are, for the present, an exception to the above agreement. And further, we are strongly of opinion that none of the importers of soft goods in the above-mentioned colonies should allow the managers of departments to send home any orders based on samples shown by agents or travellers for manufacturers or others, as it is considered that the buyers in England have a far better opportunity of getting the best possible value by comparing the various goods offered in the much larger home markets than the department managers can have from the limited choice at their disposal.

Then follow in alphabetical order the names of many of the principal shippers of the class of goods in question. The daily newspapers have made a passing reference to this arrangement, and have mildly styled it "a curious attempt at trade 'boycotting.'" In reality it shows us the spectacle of the middleman on the defensive. The shoe pinches him badly, and, in order to checkmate and discourage direct transactions between the manufacturer and the retailer, he has fired this ponderous shot, in the hope that he will thereby frighten both parties and keep them within his control. According to our reading of the agreement, no British or European manufacturer in the soft-goods trade will henceforth bepermitted to send out goods to the Australasian Colonies, or to employ travellers or agents in those parts of the world, except by permission of this confederation - who thus arrogate to themselves the right of absolutely controlling and regulating the trade of the most important of our colonies, to say nothing of a leading industry at home. The penalty for disobedience is to be the closing of accounts with the offender by all the parties to this document. This is bad enough, but the "ring" actually go further, and express their strong opinion that none of the Australasian importers of soft goods should allow their managers of departments to send home orders based on samples shown by agents or travellers of manufacturers, the confederation being of opinion that the buyers in England (that is to say, themselves for the most part) have a far better opportunity of getting the utmost value in the home markets. A careful perusal of these conditions and opinions will show that the agreement is one of the most determined efforts ever made by the middlemen to hinder the development of direct trading. The strategy is transparent, but they may be credited with having made the attempt whilst they have stilla certain amount of power left. The effort will not achieve its aim, but it may intimidate some of the weaker makers, and buyers in the colonies. That so bare-faced an attempt tolimit and monopolise business should succeed is inconceivable. The middlemen who have signed the agreement represent some of the most powerful merchant concerns in London, but the tendency of the times is against them, and they will find in the long run they might as well try to stop the rising tide as to set themselves against a movement which is not only general all over the world, but is an imperative outcome of modern competition. Even if they were successful for a time, the only result would be that the manufacture of soft goods would be stimulated in the colonies, or that the few independent manufacturers who disregarded the behests of the confederation would secure a monopoly of the business. Even at the very outset the middlemen have made exceptions of carpets and floorcloth, and, if we are rightly informed, they have also excepted other lines of goods. These exceptions will multiply if the principal manufacturers know their own affairs rightly, and it will not be long before the middlemen will be glad torecognise that their interests will be best advanced by studying and serving the wants of the two great sections of the trading community between which they have for so long a time managed to locate themselves.

#### THE QUEBEC PHARMACY LAW.

WE have been favoured with a copy of the "Act to Amend and Consolidate the Acts relating to the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province of Quebec, and to the Sale of Drugs and Poisons." This Act was assented to on May 9, 1885, and contains some features which are worthy of comment.

Among "interpretative provisions" the following occur:—
"The word 'drugs' means articles used medicinally, whether compounded or simple."

"The word 'poisons' means such drugs or chemicals as are dangerous to human life."

"The word 'drug-store' means a place where drugs and poisons are sold by retail or compounded."

"The word 'person' or 'persons' means corporate bodies, as well as individuals and private associations."

The powers of the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province are continued. Its Council consists of twelve members, of whom six retire annually, but are eligible for re-election. The annual meeting of the Association is to be held in June of each year, in the cities of Montreal and Quebec alternately. Chemists who have been in business for at least five years are entitled to registration without examination. For other persons, the process of becoming a pharmacist is the following:—The candidate must first produce evidence of good moral character, and pass an examination in English, French, Latin, arithmetic, geography, and history. He then becomes a certified apprentice, and has to pay an annual fee not exceeding \$2. He must then serve at least three years with a licentiate of pharmacy, and then may pass an examination in the translation and dispensing of prescriptions, in pharmacy, chemistry, toxicology, posology, and materia medica. Passing this makes him a "certified clerk," and he has to pay an annual fee not exceeding \$5. Before he can be admitted a "licentiate of pharmacy" he must follow two courses in chemistry, two in materia medica, and one in botany, and must have served four years with a licentiate of pharmacy. He has then to pass a "major examination" on the subjects already named, with botany added. As a licentiate of pharmacy he must pay a fee of \$10 per annum. We find no provision whatever for chemists who have been established for less than five years, and who, it is to be presumed, must go through the whole course here laid down. Power is, however, given to the Council to accept, in lieu of the examination, authenticated certificates of examination by duly appointed medical or pharmaceutical boards whose curriculum of technical and practical education is equivalent to that required by the Act.

Subsequent clauses of the Act make the usual provisions in regard to the sale of poisons, those only being specially named the sales of which are to be registered and signed for. The list is as follows:—

Aconite and its preparations.

Arsenic and its preparations.

Cantharides.

Corrosive sublimate.

Cyanide of potassium and all metallic cyanides.

Ergot of rye and its preparations.

Essential oil of almonds, unless deprived of prussic acid.

Opium and its preparations, except paregoric and syrup of poppies. Prussic acid

Savin and its oil.

Strychnine, and all poisonous vegetable alkaloids and their salts.

Tartar emetic.

The sale of these poisons and of any drug (we have already given the definition of drugs), the dispensing of prescriptions, and the assumption of the titles "chemist," "druggist," "pharmacist," &c., are limited to licentiates of pharmacy, the usual exceptions to physicians, wholesale dealers, and veterinary surgeons being allowed. But, by a special clause, the drugs named in schedule B may be sold by other persons, "provided that patent medicines be sold without their wrappers being opened, and the other medicines be sold in closed packets with the name of the substance contained upon such packet labelled thereon." Schedule B names the following articles:-

All patent medicines, alum, bicarbonate of soda, borax, camomile, carbolic acid (crude), carbonate of lime, castor oil, cochineal, cod-liver oil, cream of tartar, Epsom salts, ginger, glycerine, gum arabic, hops, linseed, linseed meal, manna, nitre, Paris green, poppies, rhubarb, senna, sulphur, tartario acid.

There are some other notable clauses in this remarkable Act, which is certainly the one most favourable to pharmacists of any we know in the English language. Only "certified clerks" may be employed to assist the licentiates "in the duties of a pharmacist." No apprentice may dispense prescriptions or sell poisons, unless under the immediate supervision of a licentiate of pharmacy or certified clerk. Branch shops must be under the direct control of a licentiate. Persons wilfully or knowingly selling any article as a particular drug or medicine which it is not in fact are liable to a penalty of \$25; and penalties of \$10, \$20, and \$50 can be imposed for infringements of the Act. All such penalties are to belong to the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province of Quebec.

#### CUTTING PRICES.

WE have heard that some anger has been excited in consequence of the publication in our last number of a report of an interview with a chemist who has made an extensive business in London by the adoption to some extent of what are known as "cutting prices." We publish one letter on the subject, and we have received another, but the writer of this one—who describes himself as "yours indignantly"—expressly forbids publication of his criticism. We have been told that his indignation is shared by other gentlemen, who have not cared to communicate with us direct.

It is difficult to assume seriously the attitude of defence in regard to this matter. We have supposed for a long time that it is the duty of a journalist to present facts. A war correspondent is expected to report defeats as well as victories; the trade reporter must tell of depression as well as of activity; a party journal ought to present the arguments of its adversaries as well as those which it supports. These are universally-recognised canons of journalism-it seems singular that their application to the present case is not obvious. We learn that a chemist has made a rapid success in his business; we ask him for details of that success, and we submit his explanations to those whom it concerns. Wherein are we to blame? If some of Mr. Thomas' remarks are distasteful, it is as unreasonable to attack us for them as it would be to complain of the postman who delivers a letter containing bad news. It is our duty to report what is going. on of interest to chemists and druggists, and it is not our duty to bias our reports with our own opinions.

We may add one paragraph in reference to the subject of the article. We quoted a few specimens of the prices charged at this "cutting" establishment for general drugs. These specimens fairly represented the bulk, and it will be seen that for the more usual retail quantities the pricescharged are pretty well up to the average of general rates. It is true that great reductions are offered on larger purchases, but it is doubtful whether the ordinary customer benefits economically if he gets tempted to buy 1 lb. of borax when he only has use for 1 oz. The point, however, which we wish to emphasise is that we gather from the success which Mr. Thomas reports as having resulted from his circulation of a price-list is due less perhaps to the actual prices than tothe fact of any prices being quoted. In small things as in great the public dread the unknown, and they have a tradition that in many West-end pharmacies fantastic prices are demanded. With this price-list before them they "know the worst of it" at Mr. Thomas' shop, and that knowledge has a tendency to turn the scale in his favour. Fas est ab hoste doceri.

Circulars have lately been issued by Messrs. S. Maw, Son & Thompson, and by Messrs. Hodgkinson, Stead & Treacher, announcing that in future they will pay carriage to any part of the United Kingdom on packages of goods of the value of 5*l*. and upwards. The first-named firm also announce that they will charge booking fees on all parcels under the value of 10*s*. These declarations caused some sensation among rival houses, but as far as we can learn the example will be generally followed.

The development of facilities for the transmission of small parcels has not been an unmixed benefit to the wholesale trade. In the office of a large wholesale druggist in the City we were shown lately a full page of the ledger, occupied entirely with debits to one retail firm during six months. There were some ten or twelve invoices per month, of values ranging from a few shillings to two or three pounds. The total of the half-year's trade just turned 80*L*, from which empties and discounts were to be deducted. Forty or fifty years ago that amount of business would have been concentiated in the latest and the state of the latest would have been concentiated.

trated in a single line of the ledger.

But this record was altogether beaten by an order which was recently shown us by Messrs. S. Maw, Son & Thompson. One of their country customers instructed them on a post-card to send him a roll of corrugated paper, value 3s., on Wednesday, ditto on Thursday, ditto on Friday, ditto on Saturday, ditto on Monday, ditto on Tuesday, ditto on Wednesday. With one parcel was to be sent 1 yard of oiled silk, with another 3 lbs. of filtering-paper, and with another 1 lb. of lint. Seven packings, seven entries, seven invoices, seven bookings, for a gross total of business under thirty shillings! The reason for the form of the order was, we suppose, that the purchaser contracts with one of the Parcels Carriers by the year; but he can hardly complain of being debited with the booking fees.

We mentioned last month a contract for 5,760,000 bottles made by the Hop Bitters Company, which we then supposed was the largest bonā-fide contract ever made for glass bottles. It appears, however, that an English house still heads the record. Messrs. Goodall, Backhouse & Co., of Leeds, send us a note in which they say:—"We may be pardoned for informing you that on January 1 last we contracted for 6,750,000 Yorkshire Relish bottles, which exceeds the above by nearly 1,000,000 bottles." We pardon them, and congratulate them on the splendid success of their enterprise, which, we believe, this journal was one of the first to prophesy.

It will be remembered that the statistics of failures for 1884 showed a wonderful falling off as compared with many previous years. The total number recorded in the year in the United Kingdom was 4,404 in 1884 against 10,599 in 1883. It was considered by many authorities that this result was far too good to be attributed to the new Bankruptcy Act, and it was generally asserted that the apparent difference would be nearly accounted for, if we could get at the facts, by an enormous increase in private arrangements. Moreover, it was freely predicted that as debtors became more familiar with the new Act they would grow less afraid of it, and we were told to expect a notable increase of bankruptcies this year. We find from the statistics for the half year compiled by Mr. Richard Seyd, F.S.S., of Lombard Street, that the proportion has increased, though not as yet to a serious extent. Against the 4,404 in the whole of 1884 we have 2,599 in the six months ending June 30, 1885. The increase occurs entirely in retail trades; in wholesale and manufacturing businesses the improvement continues, 299 failures being recorded in the past six months against 607 in 1884. The following figures concern the drug trade:-

<del></del>		1883	1884	Half of 1885
Druggists, &c. (wholesale) Chemists, druggists Aërated water makers Surgeons, physicians, dentists	::	 35 61 27 56	11 28 17 28	4 15 5 18

Messrs. W. J. Bush & Co. send us the following as an interesting specimen of "analysm." It was furnished to one

of their customers in the North of England by a public analyst, who found that it left something to be desired in the way of definiteness. We have italicised the gentleman's guesses:—"I find that the sample of bicarbonate of potash contains either lead or copper. You might probably free it from this impurity by dissolving what quantity you require for a charge in water, and then filter it through a small animal charcoal filter before passing it into the machine." This simple method of separation is also worthy of note.

A correspondent of one of the daily papers, writing from the South of France, in order to show the great postal facilities given by continental countries over those possessed here, states that he can send his spectacles to England to be repaired in a little box at a cost of 10 centimes (barely a penny); but the cost of returning them through the English Post Office is 2s. 2d.



Universal Pharmacopæia — Universal Pharmakopëe. Eine Vergleichende Zusammenstellung der zur Zeit in Europa und Nordamerika gültigen Pharmakopëen. Von Dr. Bruno Hirsch. Leipzig: Ernst Günther.

To the pharmaceutical world this is a work of considerable importance. It is, of course, published in the German language, and as yet only one part has reached us. It is a conspectus of all the Pharmacopeias of Europe and of the United States. As a specimen of the manner in which the necessary information has been condensed, we give a translation of one of the shorter sections:—

#### 44. ACIDUM CARBOLICUM.

Acidu Carbolicu Rom.; Acidum Carbolicum Crystallisatum Russ.; A. phœnicum Græc.; A. phœnicum Dan., Helv., Neerl., Norv.; A. ph. depuratum Suec.; Phénol Gall.

#### $C^{6}H^{6}O = 94 \text{ or } C^{12}H^{5}O, HO = 94$

Austr., Brit., Dan., Gall., Germ., Græc., Helv., Hung., Neerl., Norv., Rom., Russ., Suec., U.S.

Needle crystals, colourless (Brit., Dan., Helv.), or also slightly reddish. according to Austr. and Hung., becoming brownish in time, thin, long, generally combined in a mass, melting between 33° and 40° (33° Austr., Hung., Rom.; 33°-40° Helv.; 35° Brit., Dan., Norv.; 35°-44° Germ.; 36°-42° U.S.; 42° Gall.; 44° Russ.), boiling at 180°-188° (the higher melting-points corresponding with the lower boiling-points of the pure and anhydrous sorts), and evaporating without residue. Specific gravity of the melted and lukewarm substance between 1.060 and 1.070; 10 parts of carbolic acid and 1 part of water yield a solution of 1.067 at 15°; the addition of another part of water reduces the sp. gr. to 1061. Perfectly neutral, either pure or in aqueous solution. Coagulates albumen and collodium and in weak dilution with water, 2 or 1 per cent., or weaker, gives with chloride of iron a beautiful blue or blue-violet tint, which is fairly permanent. Dissolves in all proportions with alcohol, æther, chloroform, glycerine, sulphide of carbon, and soda lye. Will take up to 32 per cent. of water at 15° without cloudiness, but requires for solution nearly 20 parts of water at 15° (16.6 Gall., 15-20 Snec., 18-20 Neerl.). Odour characteristics resembling creosote, even in considerable dilution; taste, when largely diluted, sweetish, cooling; in concentrated form has a caustic action on the skin. Bromine occasions a white flocculent precipitate even in very dilute solutions (1-50,000), and is therefore useful for quantitative estimation. U.S. estimates the aqueous contents by shaking with chloroform; on resting, the water separates on the surface. If the carbolic acid requires more than 20 parts of water to dissolve it, it is impure. (Russ, and Norv. describe phenols adulterated with cresol soluble in 40 and in 70 parts of water.) If it dissolves in less than 17-18 parts it is diluted with water, alcohol, or glycerine; but an absolute phenol in single crystals has lately been brought into commerce which, with a melting-point of 40°, dissolves in 15 parts of water. Maximum single dose, 0.1; maximum dose for the day, 0.5 (Germ.). Caution .- To be protected from air and light.

This first part brings the survey up to Amylum Marantæ. It is announced that this work will be completed in 10 or 12 parts, and each is sold at 2 marks (2s.).

As will be noticed above, the author does not limit himself to a reproduction of the Pharmacopeia descriptions. Occasionally he gives very useful notes. Under Aconitum, for instance, he describes the characteristics of Morson's Hottot's, and Duquesnel's preparations. It is to be regretted that a work involving so much labour, and so obviously useful, should be of special use to German readers only, and should be doomed by the constant issue of new Pharmacocopæias to such a brief period of actual accuracy.

Lectures delivered at the Hospital for Sick Children. By Robert J. Lee, M.D., &c. Second edition. London: Bailliere, Tindall & Cox. Pp. 152. 3s. 6d.

This volume contains a number of clinical lectures delivered to students on cases illustrating the following diseases:-Rickets, whooping-cough, imbecility, vaccinal eruptions, infantile paralysis, diarrhea, ringworm, convulsions, syphilitic affections, and difficulties with the skin, heart, eyes, speech, glands, and urinary organs. Naturally, the subjects named are not treated exhaustively; but each lecture is such a clear exposition of the symptoms, nature, and treatment of the disease in question as might be expected to be obtained from an hour's interview with an intelligent and experienced physician.

Manual of Antiseptic Treatment of Wounds, for Students and Practitioners. By W. Watson Cheyne, M.B., F.R.C.S. London: Smith, Elder & Co. Pp. 151. 4s. 6d.

MR. CHEYNE is the author of an important work on Antiseptic Surgery, and as he has been for some years a coadjutor of Sir Joseph Lister at King's College Hospital, the authoritative character of this manual is guaranteed. Sir Joseph Lister's methods of treatment of wounds and of operating are carefully explained, and all is made clear by an abundance of good engravings. Modifications of Lister's treatment, adapted to country practice and to war, and Esmarch's plan of aseptic treatment of wounds on the field of battle, are also described. German surgeons have followed Lister's practice with enthusiasm, and Mr. Chevne describes with brief comment the following plans:—Thiersch's salicylic acid treatment; Neuber's permanent dressings; and the thymol treatment introduced by Ranke, of Halle, which has not answered expectations, and has been abandoned in aseptic work; acetate of alumina (Maas); eucalyptus oil (Schulz); bichloride of mercury, which has found wide favour in Germany and elsewhere. Of these, the author says Sir Joseph Lister has used eucalyptus gauze very largely, "almost to the exclusion of carbolic gauze." But, on account of the volatility of the oil, eucalyptus gauze cannot be sufficiently relied on. As an ointment for dressing wounds and for burns Mr. Cheyne recommends 1 part of eucalyptus oil with 4 parts of a base composed of paraffin 2 and vaseline 1. Naphthalin has been used with success by Fischer of Strasburg. Iodoform Mr. Cheyne does not speak well of. "It is not a powerful antiseptic, and is not now nearly so much employed as it was two or three years ago.

Anyone wishing to acquire a practical acquaintance with the principles of antiseptic surgical treatment cannot do better than get this manual.

The Ambassadors of Commerce. By A. P. Allen. London: T. Fisher Unwin. 3s. 6d.

COMMERCIAL travellers have grown accustomed to be described as "bagmen," "touts," "drummers," and by other epithets not coined as terms of the highest respect. To be epithets not coined as terms of the highest respect. To be styled "ambassadors of commerce" must be a new experience for them, and is almost worth living for. The author has represented the firm of Bradbury, Greatorex & Co. for nearly a quarter of a century, and, as we understand, has now retired from the road. He has evidently the highest esteem for the profession to which he belongs, and some of his confreres will, we hope, learn with surprise what an astonishing combination of talent they must have possessed if they have in any way succeeded in their operations. It is right to say that Mr. Allen has kept himself and his own history very much in the background, but he has rather balanced this pleasant characteristic by a proclivity to

preaching, which might at most have been confined to one chapter. The book does not give us a vivid picture of the actual life-history of a commercial traveller, and the casual scenes which are put before us, representing the ambassadors at their meals and the flow of soul which follows the diuner, are hardly calculated to secure that glory for the fraternity which is claimed for them. Nor is there any attempt to make the work useful by indications of the less beaten tracks of commerce. An extract from a journal describing the experiences of a traveller in Australia is thrown in, but the author has evidently avoided subjects the presentation of which would have involved any labour. He has produced a readable book, and no more; and, if it produces a profit, he declares his intention of dividing this between the Commercial Travellers' Schools and the Commercial Travellers' Benevolent Institution.

The Requisites of a Household: The Story of their Production. By Fred. J. Francis. London: E. W. Allen. 1s.

MR. FRANCIS has had the happy idea of describing the methods of production of a great number of articles in everyday use or consumption. In brief sketches, but with sufficient detail to make the account clear, he explains the manufacture of carpets, cotton and linen fabrics, glass and china ware, cutlery, candles, soap, chocolate, coffee, mustard, musical instruments, and many of the other essentials of civilised life. Incidentally, some of our chief factories are described, including those of Messrs. Cantrell & Cochrane, Belfast; Messrs. J. S. Fry & Sons, Bristol; Messrs. T. Symington & Co., Edinburgh; Price's Patent Candle Company; Messrs. John Oakey & Sons, &c.

The Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain: Its Powers and Duties in Relation to the Public; its Proceedings "ultra vires"; its Illegal By-laws; and an Exposition of the Pharmacy Acts with reference thereto. An Impeachment. By George Tanner Hough. Pp. 33. G. T. Hough, Upton, Essex. 4d.

THIS pamphlet, which has been circulated during the past few weeks, is a very vigorous and able criticism of the proceedings of the Pharmaceutical Council from the point of view of the public. The author argues that, while the Council were justified by their charter and their Act of 1852 in making restrictive regulations in reference to persons offering themselves as candidates for the optional title of 'pharmaceutical chemist," they have no such right in regard to persons who merely wish to practise the trade of a chemist and druggist. By the 6th clause of the Act of 1868 the examiners were not "authorised and empowered" to examine persons as in the Act of 1852, but are "empowered and required to examine all such persons as shall tender them-selves." The imposition of conditions such as those stipu-lating a certain age and a three years' employment as an apprentice, &c., are, he maintains, conditions going beyond the intentions of the legislature, and therefore illegal. proposed new by-laws imposing a curriculum before examination are, of course, equally illegal.

There are many members of the Society to whom these views are not new. Besides the conditions mentioned, it is doubtful whether the Preliminary examination is legally justifiable, and the Council have shown their appreciation of this position by making this, in their new by-laws, not a separate examination, but a first stage of the Minor. Mr. Hough asserts that, not only could the Society be compelled by mandamus to examine any person tendering himself, but, further, that if anyone has been put to loss or expense in consequence of the illegal by-laws already in force, he may recover damages against the Society. And he urges, in concluding his pamphlet, that the proceedings of this "actively aggressive association of chemists" should be at once brought within the limits of the law, and as soon as possible stopped entirely by the repeal of the Pharmacy Act, which he regards

as "objectionable, delusive, and unnecessary. A part of this pamphlet, it appears, was sent to the Society's journal in the form of a letter. We are not surprised that it was not honoured with publication, but its omission was certainly not due to any literary fault or weak-

ness of expression.

Messrs. Kelly & Co. have published a fifth edition of their directory of chemists and druggists. The first edition appeared in 1870. The work now covers England, Scotland, and Wales, and includes about 40,000 names, some 9,000 of which are chemists and druggists, the rest being more or less associated with the trade.

The publication of the Weekly Drug News of New York is discontinued, and the proprietors, who also own the Druggists' Circular, and the Oil, Paint, and Drug Reporter, offer these publications in place of it.

THE journal heretofore known as the Midland Medical Miscellary is now published under the title of the Provincial Medical Journal.

Mr. Joseph Stanton, of 225 Great Dover Street, S.E., offers to chemists at a low price a sixteen page magazine for local circulation. He calls it "The Pictorial Monthly," but chemists can adopt any title they please, and as each number is complete in itself they need not necessarily circulate it every month. The contents are very bright and readable, and it is so compiled that one or more of the pages may be changed for local matters or trade announcements, or advertising may be accomplished by means of a wrapper. Mr. Stanton will supply samples.

MR. GRAVES AICKIN, of Auckland, President of the New Zealand Pharmacy Board, has sent us a copy of "Aickin's Annual, a Domestic Medical Guide and Colonial Statistical Record," pp. 180, price 1s. It is bound in a tastefully-decorated paper cover, and admirably printed. The contents are of a kind that would not be expected. The "Home Pharmacopœia" is not an advertisement, but a description, in simple language, of the properties and uses of nearly all the simple drugs. It fills more than 60 pages, and is followed by an index of diseases in which, without any hints as to diagnosis, reference is given to the drugs used in their treatment. A list is given of native medicinal plants which may be used when other drugs are not available. Then we have an analysis of the reasons why New Zealand is the healthiest country in the world, statistics of New Zealand and Australia, and memorabilia from Mulholland's "Dictionary of Statistics." We should imagine that there would be a very good sale for this little work of reference in the colonies, and it will certainly enhance the author's reputation.

#### Medical Gleanings.

TREATMENT OF GONORRHŒA.—D. Barduzzi reports in the Giornale Internazionale delle Scienze Mediche extraordinarily favourable results from cautious injections of a solution of corrosive sublimate, 0.01-0.03 to 100,0 aq. destill [say, grain \$\frac{1}{6}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to 4 oz. aquæ]. This solution should be injected at an early stage of the case. Four or five injections daily of 2 grammes [3ss.] only of the solution are made. Thus only the anterior portion of the urethra is reached by the fluid.—Mcd. Rev. (Chicago).

SUBSTITUTE FOR COCAINE.—Dr. Prosser James (Lancet) finds that caffeine salts in solution have an anaesthetic effect somewhat similar to cocaine solutions. He finds salicylate or benzoate of caffeine and soda the most stable salts. He mentions a case of application to the urethra in which the strength of the solution employed was 25 per cent. Except in weak solution the salicylate causes pain to the eye. He does not seem to have proved its efficacy in such cases.

RHEUMATIC PAINS.—Constantin Paul recommends in the Union Médicale in cases of rheumatic pains, as in lumbago, sciatica, etc., covering the painful parts with a compress saturated with turpentine. Some impermeable substance, as gum cloth, oil silk, or wax paper should be placed over the compress. Crude kerosene oil, so nearly related to turpentine, has frequently been employed in this country for the same purpose, and has not seldom stopped the pain. If no impermeable substance be laid over the compress, the rapid evaporation of the turpentine probably diminishes the effect of the drug, which can act only as a counter-irritant, and its irritating action must therefore be the greater, the more concentrated the remedy.—Prov. Med. Journ.

COSTIVENESS.—Costiveness must be regarded as a disorder of the whole system, and not of the intestinal canal alone. The only effectual remedies are those advised under that conviction, and the objects of treatment must be-first, to relieve the body of the immediate presence of effete matter; and, secondly, to prevent artificially its re-accumulation till such time as a complete renewal of the tissues has taken place. Purgatives may very fairly begin the treatment; the immediate relief they give to the feelings of discomfort is great. All accessory food that has the property of arresting destruction must be left off. Wine, beer, tea, and coffee should on this account be excluded from the dietary; and milk, cocoa, soda-water, &c., substituted for them. Water is a very accessible remedy, and a very rational one, when the destructive assimilation is deficient. The testimony of experience to the use of water as a remedial agent is exhibited in the patronage bestowed from the earliest times upon numerous springs whose saline constituents are even less than those of ordinary drinking water. Pfeffers, historically famous for freeing Martin Luther of his demon-haunted hypochondriasis, is still the resort of the invalid. It is situated in a most gloomy hole, and the copious hot stream that boils out of the rock is almost chemically pure. Water taken several times a day between meals is a most efficient remedy; and baths, both hot and cold, may with advantage be employed. Prov. Med. Journ.

MEDICAL DISCOVERY.—The French Academy of Medicine has recently awarded a prize to Dr. Murrell "for the discovery of nitro-glycerine as a remedy for angina pectoris." This announcement amuses the Homeopathic World. Dr. Murrell published his "discovery" in 1880; the French Academy discovers the discovery in 1885; while, according to the Homeopathic World, Dr. Constantine Hering and Dr. Dudgeon established and defined the medicinal value of nitro-glycerine, or glonoine as they called it, "about the time Dr. Murrell was learning to walk—if, indeed, his evolution had advanced so far."

BATHS OF PERMANGANATE OF POTASH.—Hüllman (Archiv für Kinderheilkunde) recommends full baths of permanganate of potash, 1 gramme to a bucket of water, as very effective in scrophulous exanthemata, in prurigo, eczema, and intertrigo; also in the stage of desquamation of measles and scarlatina, to prevent contagion.—Chie. Med. Rev.

THE TREATMENT OF SICK-HEADACHE. — Dr. W. Gill Wylie (N.Y. Med. Journ.), of New York, has produced excellent results with the following method of treatment:
—So soon as the first pain is felt, the patient is to take a pill or capsule, containing 1 grain of inspissated ox-gall and 1 drop of oil of gaultheria, every hour until relief is felt, or until six have been taken. Dr. Wylie states that sick-headache as such is almost invariably cut short by this plan, although some pain of a neuralgic character remains in a few cases.

WHAT BECOMES OF MEDICAL STUDENTS.—The Brit. Med. Journ. refers to Sir James Paget's interesting return as to the career of a thousand students at St. Bartholomew's Hospital. The return was published in the fifth volume of the Hospital Reports. Out of the thousand students, twenty-three achieved distinguished success, holding important public and hospital appointments, or gaining leading practices. Sixty-six had considerable success, holding good appointments or lucrative esteem and influence in society. Five hundred and seven, or rather more than half, attained fair success, being able to live by their profession, or to gain promotion in ordinary appointments, maintaining in all cases a good reputation. One hundred and twenty-four had very limited success, not having made a fair practice within fifteen years after entering the profession, or appearing likely to do so, or were only just making an uncertain livelihood, or were still employed as assistants in ordinary practices, or were erratic, or doing much less than had been expected of them. Fifty-six "failed entirely." Sixteen of these ill-fated men did not get on in life, though no reason could be be assigned to account for their failure, and ten failed through ill-health or some distinct misadventure. Ten were habitually irregular in their habits, and five failed because of scandalous misconduct. Fifteen were never able to pass examinations, "some because of idleness and listlessness, a very few through sheer want of

intellect." Ninety-six, or nearly ten per cent., left the profession after beginning either its study or its practice; in the same space of time only seven entered the hospital after abandoning other studies or callings, and five of the seven again changed their minds. Of the ninety-six, three were wisely removed from their hospital-studies by their friends, and thirteen left pupilage of their own accord or were expelled. Two retired through acquiring means which put them in a position to dispense with work of any kind; four, after beginning practice, had to leave in disgrace: three took to the stage, one with success; four gained commissions in the army; three enlisted, one winning a commission; one successfully took to the bar; seven took holy orders; twenty went into business; nine became farmers; three homeopaths (all unsuccessfully); whilst twenty-four left the profession for various other pursuits. Eighty-seven died after beginning practice, twenty-one of diseases incurred in their duties. five by suicide, and one "judicially," attaining, nearly thirty years since, a terrible notoriety by his crimes. The remainder died of various diseases when either prosperous or otherwise. Forty-one died when students, seventeen of phthisis, four (at least) of fever caught in the hospital, whilst two committed suicide.

#### Foreign und Colonial.

AN INDUSTRIAL OPENING IN NEW SOUTH WALES.—Persons practically acquainted with the proper treatment of silver ores would find ample and remunerative scope for their energies in New South Wales, where the many rich finds of silver have created a demand, far in excess of the supply, for such individuals. This information is sent to us from the Immigration Office, Sydney.

THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT have prohibited the sale of Dr. Jäger's pills, which are professed to contain a distillation of the curative essence of the human hair. The Minister of the Interior ordered the pills to be analysed, and as nothing but sugar of milk was discovered the decree was issued. If a piece of hair had been found would he, have been satisfied?

A STATUE is about to be erected in the Conservatoire des Arts et Métiers, Paris, to Nicolas Leblanc, the French chemist, born in 1742, who discovered the means of producing soda artificially—a discovery which Liebig describes as the principal cause of the rapid progress of modern industry. In 1855 M. Thénard proposed to erect a statue to Leblanc, and M. Dumas renewed the proposal in 1883. The great manufacturers of England, Belgium, and Germany contributed to the fund, and it is now sufficiently large to permit the committee to order the statue.

STUDY OF NATURAL SCIENCE IN NEW SOUTH WALES.— The favour with which the study of natural science is regarded in New South Wales is shown not only by the existence of a Linnean Society, at the meetings of which numerous papers of a most interesting and scientific character are read, but also by the establishment and endowment of four fellowships of 400l. a year each, for the encouragement of study and research in natural science, after the completion of the graduate course in the Sydney University. These fellowships are the gifts of a well-known naturalist, the Hon. William Macleay, President of the New South Wales Linnean Society. The conditions on which the fellowships are to be held will be:-1. That the fellow must be a B.Sc. of the University of Sydney. 2. He must undertake to continue a bonâ-fide student of, and worker in, some subject connected with natural science. 3. He must not take any employment or follow any occupation of profit during his fellowship. 4. He must be a member of the Linnean Society; and the results of his work must, if deemed worthy, be published by the Society. Mr. Macleay intimates that the subjects included in the term natural science are to be biology, including animal and vegetable physiology and pathology, anthropology, geology, geography, and organic chemistry; and that the fellowships will be open to lady graduates in science as well as to men. Only those are to be appointed who are likely to do good work.

WINE IN PARIS.-Dr. Magnier de la Source has made a careful investigation as to the degree of adulteration practised on the wine consumed in Paris. It appears that the octroi returns show an average annual import into Paris of 5,000,000 hectolitres (equal to 100,000,000 gallons) of wine of all qualities. The author considers that he would be quite within the mark in estimating the quantity of liquid actually drunk as wine at 20 per cent. above this figure. He estimates this from the prices at which wines are sold by the retail dealers, which commence at 6d, the litre (13 pints). The universal habit of diluting wine by the retailers has occasioned a demand for a highly-coloured wine, strong in alcohol and yielding a good proportion of extractive matter. To meet this demand the producers in turn have had to resort to artificial coloration, and the addition of glucose, or the pressings from dry grapes, and the addition of alcohol, or, what is cheaper, of some of the highly-fortified wines of Spain or Italy. The vigilance of the municipal laboratory officials has, however, nearly eliminated by this time the two firstnamed frauds, but the addition of alcohol, which is very difficult to prove, is still largely continued. The author has tabulated his analyses of Paris wines in the two years 1883-4. and finds that less than four samples in a hundred containless than 8 per cent. of alcohol. Wines containing from 11 to 14 per cent, of alcohol are extremely rare, but those containing from 14 to 16 per cent. constitute more than 40 per cent. of the total. The table seems to show conclusively that natural wines generally contain up to 10 or 11 per cent, of alcohol, and that when they are fortified an average of 15 per cent. is usually adopted.

PHARMACY IN THE MIDST OF THE CHOLERA.-The correspondent of a provincial paper tells of a visit he had paid to Aranjuez. He says:—"There are not more than 3,000 people here out of a normal population of from 12,000 to 14,000. The streets are completely deserted. Not a living soul is to be seen. There was no one of whom I could inquire, much less to carry my scanty luggage, and for nearly two hours I wandered as in a city of the dead. By good fortune at length I lighted upon one of the only two shops that remain open in the town, and this was the chemist's. Here there was a silent, mournful crowd congregated round the door, each awaiting his turn to be served. Two gendarmes are placed there, it being feared that the population, in their present half-desperate, half-despairing state, might be tempted to help themselves wholesale to the medicine. Leaving here with a young fellow I had engaged as attendant in the crowd, I made my way to the barracks. We had not proceeded many steps, however, when the poor boy was seized with the symptoms. I did what I could for him, but in less than an hour he was lying at my feet doubled up a corpse. There are no undertakers and no coffins. The bodies are picked up and placed on dust carts that come round at certain periods of the day. Even then many bodies are left to rot, the cart in many cases being insufficient for the number. Only one baker's is open. Yesterday thirty sheep arrived from Madrid, but there was no one to kill them. Arrived at the barracks I fell among thieves. The officers and doctors possessed nothing. Their condition was like those in a beleaguered town. I was denuded of my tobacco, my flask of spirits, my writing materials —in a word, everything. The supply of each of the foregoing has been exhausted in Aranjuez for many days. I was told that a few days ago Senor Mario, a deputy, was attacked by the epidemic. His old father, the Marquis de la Frontera, hastened to his son's assistance. He went, however, only to catch the infection himself, and both now lie dead.'

PREPARATION OF PILLS CONTAINING ESSENTIAL OILS.—Mr. C. Jonas (Union Pharm.) considers that for pills containing a large quantity of essential oil tragacanth is not the best excipient. It leaves much of the oil on the pestle, mortar, and pill-machine, and the pills thus made soon become very hard. He prefers carbonate of magnesia and balsam of Peru. For such a prescription as the following, for instance: Essential oil of rue, 30 drops, to make 30 pills—the process would be to put the oil in the mortar, add carbonate of magnesia q.s. to make a half-dry mass, and make up with 8 to 10 drops of balsam of Peru. This mass is perfectly homogeneous and easily divided. The pills remain plastic for a long time. For croton oil and creasote he uses carbonate of magnesia only.

#### TRADE-MARKS APPLIED FOR.

THE Trade Mark' Journal publishes the following notice:—"Any person who has good grounds of objection to the registration of any of the following marks may, within two months of the date of this journal, give notice in duplicate at the Patent Office, in the form 'J,' in the second schedule to the Trade Marks Rules, 1883, of opposition to such registration." All communications relating to patents, designs, or trade marks to be addressed to H. Reader Lack, Esq., Comptroller-General of Patents Designs, and Trade-marks, Patent Office, 25 Southampton Buildings, Chancery Lane, London, W.C.

#### From the "Trade Marks Journal," June 17, 1885.

- DAIRY BRAND, with picture of child riding on a cow, for condensed milk, Wm. Müller, 15 Abchurch Lane, E C. No. 41,831.
- FAIRWEATHER'S PERFECT WASHING FLUID, with picture and directious. Robert Hy. Fairweather, 1 Shrcwsbury Street, Old Trafford, Manchester. No. 42,085.
- OUR BOYS BRAND, with picture, for foods. Aylwin Bros., 27 Leadenhall Street, London. No. 42,323.
- Various simple designs for glass bottles. Dan Rylands, Hope Glass Works, uear Barnsley. Nos. 42.643, 649 and 650, 44,855, 6, and 7.
- BOWREY'S DIGESTIVE FRUIT PILLS. Thos. Christy & Co., 155 Fenchurch Street, London, E.C. No. 43,202.
- SARACAS CIGARS. Nestor Frère, 144 Leadenhall Street, E.C. No. 43,812.

  DAN RIVER CIGARETTES. Goodwin & Co., 12½ Pancras Lane, Cheapside E.C. No. 43,816.
- GOUT PILLS, with signature, James Voller, 21 Meyrick Road, Battersea, S.W. No. 44,082.
- CASPILENE, with spread eagle, for lubricating oil. David Crichton, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
- BELFAST AND LONDON AERATED WATER COMPANY, KALI OR POTASS WATER, with design. Baukside, Southwark, S.E. No. 44,257.
- Picture of three arrows crossed and CCOE, for oils (No. 43,345), glass (No. 43,346), and paint brushes (No. 43,347). David Storer & Sons, Sydney Street, Glasgow.
- WILKINSON, HEYWOOD & CLARK, with a coat of arms, for oils and turpentine. Wilkinson, Heywood & Clark, 7 Caledonian Road, N. No. 44,418.
- Shepherd's Metallic Disc, Protection Against Cholera, with design. J. E. R. Shepherd, 28 Rendlesham Road, Clapton, E. No. 44.596.
- CELLULOID TEADE-MARK, N. Co., in fancy letters, for dental-plates, &c. Celluloid Manufacturing Company, 295 Ferry Street, Newark, New Jersey, U.S.A. No. 44,638.
- THE BALMORAL GLOSS, for shoe-polishes, &c. T. Y. Kelley, trading as "The Nubian Manufacturing Company," 8 and 9 Hosier Lane, London, No. 44,691.
- GOLDEN DENTISTRY, on a crescent, for artificial teeth. Eskell & Sons, 445 Strand, W.C. No. 44.709.
- BLACK JACK CHEWING-GUM (No. 44,790), and TAFFY LIQUORICE CHEWING-GUM (No. 44,791), articles of confectionery. Franklih Hallett & Co., 13 New Quay, Liverpool.

#### From the "Trade Marks Journal," June 3, 1885.

- LA FLORA BEATA (No. 42,621), LORD TENNYSON (No. 42,623), with pictures for manufactured tobaccos. W. D. & H. O. Wills, 112 Redcliff Street, Bristol.
- Breidenbach's Macassarine Oil, with facsimile of wrapper for hair-oil, used six years before 1875. Emily Ann Breidenbach, trading as "Breidenbach & Co.," 157B New Bond Street, W. No. 42,657.
- Picture of a Southern planter, for manufactured tobacco. Ambros Valerio, 7 Liberty Street, Charleston, U.S.A. No. 42,977.
- Neuroburine, Bray, a neuralgic specific. William J. Bray, South Street. Romford. No. 43,117.
- Picture of a rupee, 1877, for soap (No. 43,584), and for perfumery (No 44,213). Alsiug & Co., 2 7 Leadenhall Street, E.C.
- Victor, in white letters on a black diamond, for polishing preparations. No. 43,698. The Co-operative Forget-me-uot, and a design for soaps and detergents. No. 43,694. D. Houldsworth & Son, Heekmondwike, Yorks.
- NULTRA, for oil and soap used in medicine (No. 44,265), and for perfumery (No. 44,266). Maburn & Co., Pine street, Salford.
- THE UNIVERSAL, for kneading and mixing machines. Paul Pfleiderer, 86 Upper Ground Street, S.E. No. 44,325.
- "OMNIBUS" within an oval, for water-filters. F. Lipscombe & Co., 233 Strand, London. No. 44,355.
- THE BLIND SPOT, A STARTLING OPTICAL DISCOVERY; FIELD'S SOAP, &c., with a device for toilet soaps. J. C. & J. Field, Lambeth Upper Marsh, S.E. No. 44,413.

- Tobin's Magic Fertilizer for Florists and Amateurs, with a design, for artificial manure. W. P. O'Reilly, trading as "Tobin's Chemical Manure Company," and also as ["Tobin," 14 Western Road, Wood Green, N. No. 44,542.
- WALKER, RAGGATT & Co. (LIM.), BATH, and a design for aërated waters, &c. (No. 44,633); also for non-alcoholic syrups and cordials (No 45,160). Walker, Raggatt & Co. (Limited), Broad Street, Bath.
- PICTURE OF A CASTLE, for aërated waters. John Cammock & Co. (Limited), Haydock Street, St. Helen's. No. 44 803.
- M. WALTER'S HEAD AND HAIR DRESSING, &c., with a design. Jame, Mackintine, trading as "Castle Laboratory Company," 101 Clayton Road, Peckham, S.E. No. 44,828.
- CAROTESENCE, in white letters on black ground, a vegetable colorant for butter. Joseph Bentley, Barrow-on-Humber. No. 45,012.

#### From the "Trade Marks Journal," July 1, 1885.

- PRESTO, FANTASY, DONNA DEL LAGO, and BEST BRIGHTON, with designs for manufactured tobacco (Nos. 39,973, 38,974, 38,975, and 39,507). Thorns, Son & Co., Boston, Lincs.
- Picture of a fat Oriental face on a fan (Nos. 43,463, 43,464, 43,465, and 43,466); of an Oriental woman playing a flute (Nos. 43,471, 43,472, and 43,473); and of a man and a demon (Nos. 43,475, 43,476, and 43,477), for chemical substances used in manufacture and research, for agricultural and sanitary purposes, and in medicine and pharmacy. Theodor Langgaard, 20 Fenchurch Street, E.C.
- HUDSON'S CONCENTRATED EXTRACT OF SOAP and design, used 12 yearsbefore 1875, for extract of soap. Firm trading as "R. S. Hndson," Bauk Hall, Liverpool. No. 44,172.
- E. BROOKS, PECKHAM BREWERY, and a design, for aërated waters. Emily Brooks, Peckham Brewery, 133 Hill Street, Peckham, S.E. No. 44,186.
- T. & T., in fancy letters, for herbal beer, a fermented liquor; used two years before 1875. Tattersall & Taylor, Low Moor, Clitheroe, Lancs. No. 44,567.
- THE HOTEL METROPOLE, LONDON, with lion and crown, &c., for aërated waters (No. 44,662), and for manufactured tobacco (No. 44,663). Gordon & Hollands, Hotel Metropole, Charing Cross, London.
- SOUTHALL'S SANITARY TOWEL, with labels and design (No. 44,700). Southall Bros. & Barclay, Bull Street, Birmingham.
- Cardiamond Rock, a cure for dyspepsia, &c. Charles Hy. Sharp, 9 Herne-Hill Road, Camberwell, S.E. No. 44,734.
- BRIDAL BOUQUET BLOOM, a pharmaceutical preparation for the complexion, No. 44,740, April 30, 1885. Walter Coombes, Oakwood Villa, Dean-Road, Willesden Græn, Middlesex. Class 3. Application for registration of these words in Class 48 for preparations for the skin, toilet articles, and perfumery was made on April 24 by S. R. Van Duzer, 114 and 116 Southampton Row, W.C., No. 44,588, published in T. M. J., July 8.
- DEFIANCE, DISINFECTANT, AND FUMIGANT, with monogram and address.

  Thos. Stoner, 22 Neal Street, Horton Lane, Bradford, Yorks.
  No. 44,853.
- SANDRAKITE, for stoppers for bottles. R. E. Goolden, 24 Suffolk Grove-Southwark, S.E. No. 43,238.
- STAR BRAND CHAMPAGNE POWDER, SPECIALLY ADAPTED FOR ABSTAINERS FROM ALCOHOLIC DRINKS, with a design. Wm. Hy. Atkinson, 156 Camberwell Road, S.E. No. 43,970.
- ELECTRO-MOTOR TEETHING NECKLACE, with label and design (No. 44,083); also in German (No. 44,084). Ferd. R. Grum, trading as "Geling Bros.," 16 Bessell Street, Berlin, Germany.
- PITKEATHLY, with name and design, for mineral water. Reid & Douald, George Street, Perth. No. 44,531.
- ARIZONIC SOAP, with portrait, for common soap. James Harrison, Kirk-gate, Leeds. No. 44,534.
- OLDHAM'S PILL OF HEALTH, with portrait. Wm. Kitching, 170 Crook Street, Bolton, Lancs. Used forty years before 1885. No. 44,555.
- THE CRANE'S LITTLE BONBON PILLS, with label and design. A. J White (Limited), 17 Farringdon Road, London. No. 44,577.
- J. L. & S., OPTICIANS, B., within a shield, for philosophical and other appliances, Wm. Jas. Lancaster, trading as "J. Lancaster & Son," Colmore Row, Birmingham. No. 44,722.
- GROATINE, for cereals. Robert Robinson & Sons, Annam, N.B. Nos. 44,723.
- Shiperand on a bauner, &c., for aërated waters. H. S. Collins, Lancaster Honse, Savoy, London, W.C. No. 44,941,
- CRITERION RAPID CLEANSER, for household soap. Hodgson & Simpson, Calder Soap Works, Wakefield. No. 45,007.
- FRIEDRICHSHALL (No. 45,097), used at least twenty-five years before 1875; the same with a label, &c. (No. 45,096), and a plain disc (No. 45,098), for mineral waters; the two last for natural, and the first for natural and artificial. The Apollinaris Company (Limited), 19 Regent Street, S.W.

#### Trade Aotes.

MESSRS, E. CRAWSHAW & Co. now put up their shilling size of crystal dyes in bottles, instead of in cardboard cases: a distinct improvement, especially for exportation.

WE have received a new wholesale price list of seltzogenes and syphons from Messrs, Eugster & Koertgen, the British Syphon Company, 2 Gresham Buildings, Guildhall.

RUSPINI'S STYPTIC is now supplied in bulk for hospital, medical, or dispensing uses, at much lower than retail rates, under the title of "Liq. Stypticus R."

MESSRS, A. & R. SCOTT have received a gold medal at the New Orleans Exhibition for their Midlothian oat flour biscuits and oatmeals.

MR. G. VAN ABBOTT, dealer in invalid foods, Prince's Street, Cavendish Square, has taken into partnership his son, Mr. F. W. Abbott.

MESSRS, T. H. HALL & Co., manufacturing chemists, wholesale druggists, &c., Albert Works, Hebden Bridge, have taken into partnership Mr. Wallace Gordon. The style of the firm will in future be "Hall & Gordon."

MR. WM. TOOGOOD offers by advertisement to pay carriage on packages of stock goods in the United Kingdom to the amount of 5l. and upwards. He will charge booking on parcels under the value of 10s.

THE business of the London Stereoscopic and Photographic Company, founded by the late Lord Mayor Nottage, has been converted into a limited liability company, with a capital of 90,000l. in 5l. shares.

Mr. A. de St. Dalmas, of the Original Medical Plaster Works, Leicester (formerly Moor's), has registered the title, "The Leicester," for his specialties—porous, adhesive, rubber, and all kinds of plasters, mustard leaves, &c.

WE understand that Messrs. Ingram & Royle, of 52 Farringdon Street, have been appointed by La Compagnie de, Vichy sole importers of their waters and other products for this country. Messrs. Ingram & Royle have recently opened a branch establishment at Finney Lane, Liverpool.

THE partnership hitherto existing between Mr. Samson Barnett and Mr. Frederick Foster has been dissolved as from the 1st of January last by mutual consent. All debts will be received and paid by the present proprietor, Mr. Frederick Foster, the active partner in the firm for the last seventeen years, and the business will in all respects be carried on as heretofore, under the style of Barnett and Foster.

Mr. F. W. WARREN, of Harrow Road, London, sends us a seasonable novelty in the shape of a "sure and certain fly catcher," which he thinly disguises under the name of "vis-It is used by coating a piece of string with it, which is suspended in the room, and soon attracts the flies, which never escape its toils when once they come within its reach. For catching cockroaches and crickets it is also recommended, smeared over twigs.

Mr. F. H. Bowden, of Croydon, the proprietor of several important Indian remedies, has designed a tin for his Hippacea -an application for sores, &c., on horses-which is novel and useful. It is made with an air-chamber to all sides of the tin, the object being to prevent liquefaction and consequent leaking of the ointment. An inner cover is soldered on the side air-chambers, thus leaving an air-space at the top and making the opening more convenient. The printing on the tins is very effectively done.

Messrs, Oscar Sutton & Co.'s "O.S." Preservative certainly answers its purpose when used in the manufacture of paste. It has not been tested beyond two months, but a sample we received from the firm made three weeks ago has remained on our desk during the recent trying weather without showing the least tendency to change. It retains its consistency and pleasant aromatic odour. The preservative is sold in small capsuled bottles in cardboard cases at 1s. each, and is recommended for paste, starch, ink, &c.

ONE of the most satisfactory beverages for such weather as we have been enjoying lately is a well-made lemon squash. This is becoming a most popular drink, and it is a question whether the publicans or the druggists shall be its recognised purveyors. An excellent product, well charged with gas, and put up in small champagne bottles, is made by Messrs. Westmacott & Sons, of Manchester, and is supplied wholesale in the London district by Messrs. Ingram & Royle. This article is supplied in its natural sharpness and the consumer can add sugar to his taste.

MESSRS. WILKINSON, HEYWOOD & CLARK are now exhibiting in the British Section of the New Orleans Exhibition a sign-board, which has never been revarnished or retouched since 1862. The sign-board was exhibited in the London Exhibition of 1862, and again in the London Exhibition of Subsequently, it gained the gold medal in the Paris Exhibition of 1878, and is now a fourth time displayed in New Orleans. It is to-day in excellent condition, the surface being still brilliant after having been varnished twenty-three years.

MR. ROBERT ROWE has withdrawn from the firm of Idris & Co., mineral water makers, manufacturing chemists, exporters, and lime-juice merchants, of Ascham Street, Kentish Town, and Mr. J. Hughes, C.C., has joined the firm and has also become a partner in the allied firm of the Idris Manufacturing Company, makers of seltzogenes, syphons, &c. Mr. Hughes is well known in City circles, and was formerly a partner in, and the London representative of, the York Glass The Idris firms have so largely extended their operations that their extensive premises in Ascham Street are not large enough, and they are preparing to build a new factory in the neighbourhood for their manufacturing busi-

MR. P. R. DAVID, of Acomb Street, Manchester, introduces to our readers in this issue various German and other specialties for which he is agent. The "P.R.D" Cleaning Powder is said to be the cheapest, cleanest, and most efficacious polishing powder yet introduced for metal goods, plate, glass, &c. A testimonial is printed from the United Small Arms Factories, Birmingham, stating that the use of all other preparations has been abandoned for this powder. It certainly puts a polish on watch cases and brass-bound ledgers very quickly. Ristori Eau de Cologne, made by L. H. Pietsch & Co., of Breslau, has a distinct character, not too strongly marked. The same firm make "Cough no more" Honey Herbs Malt Extract, a very agreeable cough mixture, sold in 1s. 9d., 2s. 9d., and 4s. 6d. bottles. Mack's Double Starch is advertised by a woodcut showing shirts almost rising out of the basket with stiffness.

#### NEW COMPANIES.

PACKHAM & COMPANY.—Objects: To purchase the factory, laboratory, and premises, 16 Katharine Street, Croydon, belonging to the business of a mineral water manufacturer, carried on by the official liquidator of Packham & Co,, Limited. Capital: 10,000% in 10% shares. Signatories (with one share each): H T. Moore, Kynaston House, High Road, Tottenham; T. W. Jones, Frocester Lodge, South Norwood; E. C. Norden, 123 Fenchurch Street; D. Pearman, 11 Idol

Lane; C. J. King, 9, Milner Terrace, Cadogan Square; P. Guyot, Belvedere, Kent; A. Shoel, 87, Water Lane, Brixton. Number of directors not less than three nor more than five. First directors: T. W. Jones, H. T. Moore, and D. Pearman. Qualification: the holding of 25 shares. Remuneration, 150*l.* per annum. Registered by S. Gibbs, 26, Wormwood Street.

EASTOVER STORES ASSOCIATION (LIMITED.-THE Object: To carry on in any part of the United Kingdom all or any of the trades of wholesale and retail chemists and druggists and vendors of patent medicines, grocers, drysalters, seed merchants, and other businesses, and to adopt and carry into effect an agreement dated June 17, 1885, and made between William Bouchier of the one part, and George William Radford, on behalf of the Company, of the other part, &c. Registered by H. W. J. Mer. 218 High Street, Dudley. Capital 1,000l., divided into 1,000 shares of 1l. each. The first subscribers are :- F. J. Squire, accountant, St. John Street, Bridgwater, 5 shares; Geo. W. Radford, accountant, 33, Church Street, Bridgwater, 5; Wm. Bouchier, dentist, Eastover, Bridgwater, 785; Katherine S. Bouchier, Eastover, Bridgwater, 200; Elizabeth E. Bouchier, Eastover, Bridgwater, 1; Alfred H. Bouchier, 12 Croydon Street, Easton Road, Bristol, 1; F. Courtenay Bouchier, 12 Croydon Street, Easton Road, Bristol, 1; Wm. Snell, draper, 46 Archway Road, Highgate, 1 share. The number of directors to be not less than two nor more than three; qualification, five shares.

#### Personalities.

MR. A. C. ABRAHAM, F.C.S., has been elected President of the Liverpool Chemists' Association for the current year.

MR. LEMUEL CALLAWAY, late of Lowestoft, has succeeded to the business of Mr. J. Ernest Moore, 10 Victoria Street, Clifton.

MR. WARTON has given notice of his intention to remind the House of Commons of the subject of patent medicines, and to move a resolution on the 17th inst.

MR. THOMAS W. HOLDSWORTH, of Birmingham, has disposed of the wholesale drug business which he has carried on for the past 20 years to Messrs. Crooke & Taylor.

MR. F. DAVIS has sold his business at 123 Eccles New Road, Salford, to Mr. R. Gurdralls. Mr. Davis has another business at Compstall, near Stockport.

MR. W. E. BUSH, F.C.S., of the firm of W. J. Bush & Co., manufacturing chemists, Artillery Lane, has been appointed by Earl Granville one of the British Jurors for chemical products at the Antwerp Exhibition.

THE Lancet quotes some details of the following wills:-Henry Thomas Lanchester, M.D., late of Croydon, personalty over 21,0001.; Edward Wells, M.D., late of Reading, personalty over 3,000%; Thomas Renny Strachan Nivison, M.D., late of Bayswater, formerly of Christchurch and Bath, personalty over 7,000*l.*; Wm. James Hamilton, M.D., late of Curryfee, personalty exceeding 2,200*l.*; Joseph Denby Sainter, late of Macclesfield, personalty over 2,800l.

MR. G. M.S. HORTON, representing the proprietors of the Oil, Paint, and Drug Reporter, the Druggists' Circular, and Mr. Horton other journals of New York, is now in London. was formerly on the staff of the New York Tribune. On arrival, his old friend, Mr. H. S. Wellcome, received him at "breakfast" at the First Avenue Hotel. The company included the Consul-General of the United States, a prominent M.P., and a number of artists, journalists, and other gentlemen.

MR. ERNEST HART, editor of the British Medical Journal, is a Radical candidate for Mile End at the forthcoming parliamentary election. Mr. Hart the editor and Mr. Hart the candidate, it appears, have to compound matters in some respects. Certain medical dogmas are not altogether Mr. Hart the candidate favourites with the electors. already agrees to vote for the unconditional repeal of the C. D. Acts, and he has to learn to speak respectfully of the anti-vaccination and anti-vivisection advocates.



The following list has been compiled expressly for The Chemist and DRUGGIST by G. F. Redfern, Patent Agent, 4 South Street, Finsbury London, and at Paris and Brussels.]

Alkali Phosphates.-6,867.-June 5, 1885.-T. Twynam. Improvements.

Alkaline Earths, and Hydrates of the Same. -7,195. -June 12, 1885 .- J. Mactear. Manufacture of. Aluminium Producing.-7.307.-June 16, 1885.-A. K. Huntingdon.

-7,858.—June 29, 1885.—H. von Grousilliers.

Anæsthetics.—7,343.—June 16, 1885.—H. J. Haddan.—A communication from R. J. Hunter. Improvements.

Bichromate of Potash .- 7,135 .- June 11, 1885 .- P. Römer. Improvements in the manufacture of.

Bicarbonate of Sodium.-7,831.-June 27, 1885.-T. Capper.-A communication from S. Pick. Improvements in apparatus for making. Bottles.-6,909.-June 8, 1885.-R. Parsell. Mineral-water bottle and stopper.-7,341.- June 16, 1885.-W. A. Barlow. Improvements in so-called "Codd's" hottles for aerated liquids.

Bottle-cleaner.-7,405.-June 18, 1885.-M. McCrainor and J. Clegg. An expansion-hrush for cleaning the insides of round hottles.

Bottle-filling.-7,320.-June 16, 1885.-J. J. Varley. Improvements in machines for.

Bottle Stopping.-6,649.-June 2, 1885.-T. Singleton. --- 6,684.-June 2, 1885.—C. Alfeld.——6,751.—June 3, 1885.—W. A. Barlow.——6,905.—June 8, 1885.—E. Smith.——7,054.—June 10, 1885.— M. Stephenson. -- 7,063. - June 10, 1885. - R. Potter. -- 7,226. June 13, 1885.—A. J. T. Wild.—7,241.—June 13, 1885.—R. L. Howard. --- 7,261. -- June 15, 1885. -- J. Rehhla. --- 7,337. -- June 16, 1885 .- A. M. Clark .- A communication from W. Stewart .-7,416.-June 18, 1885.-E. Stiff and G. J. Chambers.-June 18, 1885.—C. I. C. Bailey.—7,522.—June 20, 1885.—D. W. Fessey.—7.608.—June 23, 1885.—S. Bunting.—7,747.—June 25, 1885.—W. H. Dance and W. Smith.——7,781.—June 26, 1885.— C. Cheswright. — 7,793.—June 26, 1885.—D. W. Dickson.— 7,823.—Juue 27, 1885.—J. Barnes.

Bottle-stopper Regulator .- 7,174. - June 12, 1885. - P. Jackson. Carbolic Acid. -7,079. -June 10, 1885. -J. Hardman. Improvement in apparatus for ohtaining carbolic acid, &c., from tar oils.

Carbonate of Soda.-7,355.-June 16, 1885.-H. H. Lake.-A communication from A. Kayser, A. B. Young, and H. Williams. Improved process for the manufacture.

Catarrh Preventitive.—7,884.—June 29, 1885.—E. M. Moore.

Celluloid, &c.-8,012.-July 1, 1885.-A. J. Boult.-A communication from W. C. Zeidler. Improvements in the treatment.

Chemical Fire-extinguishers .- 7,986 .- July 1, 1885 .- J. and W. Kissack and J. Kirkham.

Chemical Precipitation.-7,126.-June 11, 1885.-J. G. Lorrain. Improvements.

Chemical Receptacle.-6,853.-June 5, 1885.-H. Saunders. A vessel to contain certain chemicals.

Colourless Solution of Iodine. -7,527.-June 20, 1885.-H. N. Draper. The preparation of.

Cork-drawers. - 7,294. - June 16, 1885.-J. H. Smiles. Improvements in.

Disinfecting Preparation.—7,230.—June 13, 1885.—E. W. Bickerton. -A communication from A. E. W. Howe and W. R. Bickerton.

Extracts and Liquors of Logwood.—7,630.—June 23, 1885.—C. E. Avery. The improved manufacture.

Extracting Sulphur from Alkali Waste. -6,715. -June 3, 1885. -E. W. Parnell and J. Simpson. Improvements in.

Feeding-bottle Regulators.-7,258.-June 15, 1885.-E. F. Stockwell. Filters.-6,646.-June 2. 1885.-C. E. Chamberland.-6,885.-June 5, 1885.-W. R. Oswald and G. Brodrick.

Gelatine .- 7,590 .- June 22, 1885 .- E. Hoefling. Improvements in the manufacture.

Glycerine, Purifying. — 7,972.—July 1, 1885.— O. C. Hagemann. Improvements. —— 7,973.—July 1, 1885.— O. C. Hagemann. Improvements in purifying and concentrating glycerine.

Hair-restoratives. 6,912.—June 8, 1885.—J. Wilkinson.

Hand-fnmigators.—7,256.—June 15. 1885.—W. D. Luff. Medicine-bottles.—7,836.—June 27, 1885.—T. J. Williams. Improvements in medicine or other bottles.

Mineral Waters. -7,487. -June 19, 1885. -G. E. Vaughan. -A communication from F. Tiedemann. Machinery for the manufacture of aërated mineral waters.

Nitrous Oxide Gas .- 7.691 .- June 24, 1835 .- R. T. Freeman, Improvements in.

Ointment .- 6.744 .- June 3. 1885 .- E. Hall. Manufacture of.

Phosphatic Slags.-7,836.-June 29, 1835.-J. Y. Johnson.-A communication from J. Jacobi.

Pigments.-7.485.-June 19, 1835.-A. McLean. Improvements in the manufacture of

Porous Carbon for Filtering Liquids .- 7,318 .- June 13, 1835 .-G. H. Ellis.

Powder-mixer, Sifter, &c.-6,983.-June 9, 1885.-W. Laird.

Parifying Copper Precipitates. -7,597. - June 22, 1835. - J. Y. Johnson .- A communication from E. Deligny.

Rendering Spirits Unfit for Use as Liquors.—7835.—June 27, 1885. - A. A. Vale. - A communication from the Chemische Fabriks Action Gesellschaft.

Separating Solids and Semi-solids.-7,714.-June 25, 1835.-P. Smith. Apparatus for.

Smelling-salt Receptacle.—6,645.—June 2, 1825. A Scott. Starch.—6,661.—June 2, 1835.—A. M. Clark.—A communication from the Davenport Glucose Manufacturing Company. Improvements in the manufacture of starch glucose, &c.

Strontium, Hydrate or Carbonate of .- 7.136. - June 11, 1885. -E. F. Trachsel An improved method or process.

Sulphuric Acid. -6.690. June 2, 1885. J. Terrell. Improvements in decomposing sulphate and in the obtaining of sulphuric acid.

Sulphuric Acid. -7,285. - June 15, 1885. Improvements in apparatus for burning or calcining ores and minerals containing sulphur or arsenic for the manufacture of sulphuric acid.

Tooth, &c., Brushes. -7,684. - June 24, 1885. - W. L. B. Hinde. Improvements in tooth, shaving, and hair brushes,

White Lead Direct from Ore .- 6,970 .- June 8, 1885 .- E. Fischer and J. Posnansky. A new or improved process for.

Specifications published during the mouth :-

Postage 1d. each extra.

1871

3,484. H. Barrett and C. G. Elers. Stoppers for bottles. 6d. (Second edition.)

1844

7.510. A. Ponsard. Manufacture of carbonic acid gas, &c. 6d.

7,793. J. Whitehead. Portable syphon apparatus. 4d.

9,566. J. M. Day. Bottles for aërated liquids. 6d.

9,606. W. W. Grieve. Colouring matter. 2d.

9,781. W. Fearenside and W. Baynes. Discharging liquid disinfectant with water for sanitary purposes. 6d.

10.042. W. D. Thoruton, Dyeing. 6d.

10,110. E. H. Newby. Extracting substances from grapes, &c. 4d.

10,138. C. M. Pielsticker. Manufacture of hydrate of stroutia. 4d.

10,168. J. Y. Johnson. Manufacture of salicylic acid. &c. 4d.

10,267. W. A. Hills. Manufacture of precipitated phosphate of alumina, &c. 4d. 10,286, P. H. Senior. Forming collars round the mouths of bottles,

&c. 6d.

10,411. J. Mitchell. Combined pouring-spout and stopper for bottles, &c. 6d.

10,419. H. Codd. Bottles, &c. 6d.

10,514. E. P. Alexander. Corkscrews. 6d. 10.507. J. H. B. Denison. Stoppers for bottles and jars. 6d.

10,515. E. Diver. Supporting varicose veins, &c. 6d.

10,548. J. H. Johnson. Cauterising-apparatus. 6d.

10,644. S. Gamgee. Surgical splints. 2d.

10,651. J. Mactear. Making granulating crystalline carbonate of soda, &c. 6d.

10,755. E. Dodd. Treatment of articles composed of guttapercha for surgical purposes, &c. 2d.

10,790. J. Dempster. Extracting tar and ammonia from the gases of blast-furnaces. 6d.

10,819. T. McDonald. Bottle-stopper. 6d.

10,870. C. D. Abel. Parification of alcohol. 6d.

11,002. F. Gaess. Red azo dye stuffs. 4d.

11,030. J. H. Johnson. Purple colouring matters for dyeing and printing. 11,159. J. H. Johnson. Colouring matters for dyeing and printing. 4d.

11,161. T. Macfarlaue. Sulphide of zinc. 4d.

11,178. H. G. Jacobsen. Corks, bungs, &c. 2d.

11,297. T. Etty. Beverages resembling beer. 4d.

11 333. G. Lunge. Application of chloride of lime for bleaching, &c. 4d.

11,377. J. Pumphrey. Syringes. 4d.
11,407. H. H. Lake. Treating ligneous substances for the production of glucose. 6d.

11,478. D. Nicoll. Filtering and purifying water. 6d.

11,586. W. A. Barlow. Extracts of tannin, &c. 6d.

11,642. H. Codd. Bottles, &c. 6d.

12,159. J. Clare. Packages for containing caustic soda, &c. 4d.

12,256. W. Anderson. Purifying water. 4d.

12.410. T. W. B. Mumford and R. Moodie. Apparatus for concentration of sulphuric acid. &c. 61.

12.510. J. W. Cousins. Self-adjusting instrument for depressing the tongue for surgical purposes. 4d.

13.482. S. Hartley. Making grooves in the rings of glass bottles for contaiuing aërated waters, &c. 6d.

13.604. G. A. Parnell. Medicinal preparations containing an oxide of iron, 4d. 1885

2.937. H. H. Lake. Manufacture of fibrous material from wood for surgical purposes, &c. 24.

4.538. W. Lombardi. Dental forceps-guard. Ed.

4,595. A. J. Boult. Bottle stoppers. 4d.

4.609, H. J. Haddan, Plasters for the skin, 2d

4.677. T. Stoner and J. Turton. Combined disinfecting and fumigating compound. 2d.

5,233. R. B. Jackson. Cirk-extractors. 4d.



COTTRELL & GREENING, chemical manufacturers. First and final div. 3d. on and after July 2, at offices of Trustee-J. J. Deller, 33 King Street Cheanside

GRIFFIN, CHARLES, 121 Church Road, Islington, chemical and philosophical instrument maker. First and final div. 54d, any day except Saturday,

at Chief Off. Rec. office, 33 Carey Street.

SLEEMAN, HENRY BEDFORD, 37 Lime Street, London, and Birmingham; India and general merchant; trading as "H. B. Sleeman & Co." First div. 1s. 6d., on July 20, or any subsequent Mouday, at 35 Walbrook.

SMYTH, THOMAS, Narberth, chemist, wine and spirit merchant, grocer, &c-Div. 6s. 8d., on July 11, at Fern House, Tenby.

#### ADJUDICATIONS.

BECK, FRANCIS HENRY VALENTINE. Albrighton, chemist, grocer, iron. monger, seedsman, and general dea'er. June 17.
PLATT, CHARLES ROWLEY, late trading as "Godfrey & Cooke," at 30 Con-

duit Street, and 4 Cresceut Mews, Belgrave Square, now residing at 21 King's Road, Chelsea, chemist and druggist and retired colonel. June 19.

RADMORE, GEORGE, 2 Lion Place, Bitterne, trading as the "Bitterne Drug Company," June 25.

#### RECEIVING ORDERS.

COOPER, JOHN RAUSAY, 17 High Street, Canterbury, chemist. July 2.

LIGHTBOWN, THOMAS, 20 Hermitage Screet, Rishton, and 70 Burnley Road Padiham, wholesale druggist Jone 16.
PLATT, CHARLES ROWLEY, now 21 King's Road, Chelsed, late trading as

"Godfrey & Cooke," at Conduit Street and Crescent Mews, chemist and druggist and retired colonel. June 19.

WHITTLES, HENRY, 316 Wheeler Street, Lozells, Birmingham, chemist and druggist. June 15.

#### PARTNERSHIPS DISSOLVED.

BARNETT, SAMPSON, & FOSTER, FREDERICK, Eigle Whirf Road, Hoxton, aërated-water engineers. December 31, 1884.

ESSINGER & NEUBURGER, Hatton Garden, triding in surgical appliances. July 1. (Albert Essinger and Affred Neuburger.) Debts by Essinger.

FENNER BROTHERS, Phoenix Wharf, Millwall, and Little Island, Cork, chemical manufacturers. June 24. (Henry William Fenner, George Hamilton Fenner, and Charles Edwin Fenner.) Debts by H. W. Fenner, at Millwall.

IDRIS & Co., Ascham Street, Kentish Town, mineral water manufacturers and manufacturing chemists. (Thomas Howell Williams, Robert Rowe, and William Adpar Jones), as regards Rowe, May 15. Debts by remaining partners.

JORDAN & WYLDE, White's Ground, Bermondsey, steam grinders. May 30. (Thomas Rowland Jordan, John Wylde, and Robert Edden Commans.) Debts by Commans.

NICHOLSON, J. J., & Co., High Street, Sanderland, chemists and druggists. June 13. (Elizabeth Nicho son and Thomas Thompson.) Debts by

TAYLOR & Co. and MASON & PROCTOR, Leeds and Sunferland, vendors of patent medicines and drugs. December 1. (William Barker Mason and William Alfred Proctor.)

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#### Trade Report.

THE imports for June reached a rather higher value than in June 1884, being estimated at 29,546,984*L*, against 29,053,651*L*. For the six months a decline of 6½ millions in value is shown. The value of exports of British and Irish produce for the month was 17,717,289*L*; in June 1884 it was 18,649,174*L*; of foreign and colonial produce 4,810,543*L* in June 1885, and 6,628,203*L* in June 1884. The half-year shows a total decline of 16 millions in the value of our exported goods.

The following statement refers entirely to the business of the past six months, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1883 and 1884. The import of alkali has increased from 20,844 cwts. in 1883 to 27,399 cwts. in 1884 and 28,384 cwts. in 1885, but value has fallen from 30,000l. in the first two periods to 23,000 this year. Our total exports of alkali, which reached 3,391,443 cwts. in the past half-year, shows a steady increase. Russia, Spain, and Italy are improving customers; the United States, which buys nearly half of our whole export, is about stationary, and Germany, Holland, Belgium, and France have all bought less than in 1883, though rather more than last year, when artificial prices checked trade. Bleaching-powder was exported to the extent of 783,835 cwts., which was more in quantity than in either of the two previous years, though this year's values are much below last year's. Our import of brimstone has increased. Coal-tar dyes imported into this country in 1883 (to June 30) were valued at 172,224l., in 1884 at 275,412l., and this year at 232,9971. The import of madder, it may be noted, shows a considerable increase, being in the three half-years twelve, nine, and twenty-eight thousand cwts. respectively. An import of 79,000 cwts. of indigo, which is more than in 1883 but less than in 1884, testifies to the steady consumption of that yet unrivalled dye. The quarter million paid for (foreign) coal-tar colours compares with nearly two millions paid for indigo in the half-year. We have bought more than 3½ million barrels of petroleum this year, at a cost of close on a million pounds. Olive oil is the next largest trade in oils, the imports being valued at 616,233l, and those of palm at 577,418l. The items cocoanut, seed oils, and fish oils each figure between 100,000l. and 200,000l. A great reduction in the imports of turpentine is manifested this year. Peruvian bark keeps up in quantity. In the half-year of 1883 we received 62,000 cwts., in 1884 44,000 cwts., and this year 56,000 cwts.; but it is notable that the first-named quantity was valued at 760,000%, and the last at 407,000%. In other words, the average value has declined from 12l. to 8l. per cwt. Our exports of bark have been disproportionately high this year, being 49,835 cwts. In the half-year of 1884 they were 41,915% cwts, and of 1883, 36,558 cwts. The imports of gum arabic, which fell off to so great an extent last year in consequence of the trouble in Egypt, seem getting back to normal proportions. Drugs have probably been imported in at least as large quantities as before, but the general shrinkage in value is manifest from the following figures, which are given as the estimated values for the three half-years (1883-5) respectively, 516,3642., 417,5602., 386,5552. A similar but less marked shrinkage of value is manifest in regard to the exports of "medicines, comprising drugs and medicinal preparations," which are given thus: 458,427l., 441,398l., 399,2397.

MINCING LANE, July 13.

TRADE continues to bear a contracted appearance generally, although the outlook has undoubtedly become more hopeful than it was.

With the exception of quinine, hardly any of the articles to which we give our special attention can be called lower in price than last month, while, on the other hand, several, such as cassia lignea, cochineal, glycerine, turpentine, &c., have improved in value and camphor, both raw and refined, has met with unusually extensive business at rapidly increasing value.

With the Bank rate remaining at 2 per cent. and the present remarkably low prices of many articles, it is almost surprising that there has not been still more speculation in the produce markets of late, but it shows that the prolonged depression of the last few years has given a serious check to speculation, which it will take a long while to recover from entirely.

The Board of Trade export returns are again poor, although we are not inclined to base all our argument for weal or for woe upon them, believing, as we do, that considerably more money is yearly dispensed here now by foreign visitors than was the case formerly. One has only to contemplate for a moment the increasing number of West-End palatial hotels, always full during the season, to realise this to be the case. Moreover, the marked way in which emigration from our shores is diminishing is a happy argument in favour of returning prosperity.

ACIDS.—Citric has been in good demand up to 1s. 7d. per lb., but closes quieter at 1s.  $6\frac{3}{4}d$ . Tartaric continues in good consumptive request at unchanged rates of 1s.  $7\frac{1}{2}d$ . per lb. for English, and 1s.  $6\frac{3}{4}d$ . per lb. for the foreign make.

ALOES.—Cape remain in plentiful supply, and in last sales, out of 63 packages offered, 34 sold at low prices of 28s. to 34s. per cwt.

ANTIMONY.—Some large arrivals of crude having come in, the price has slightly given way to 211. per ton. Regulus quiet at 391. per ton.

BALSAMS.—In last drug sales 15 cases Capivi sold at low price of 1s. 3d. per lb., while 9 packages were bought in at 1s. 7d. to 1s. 8d. per lb.

BARK at the moment assumes a firmer tone, arising probably from the fact of somewhat smaller quantities having been offered in the public auctions of late, although stocks here still continue considerable, and we are not aware that shipments from Ceylon are in any way falling off. It should, however, be stated that present stock of 73,113 serons is 12,886 serons less than it was this time last year, and, moreover, deliveries appear to be keeping pace with arrivals.

BLEACHING POWDER is easier, at 7l. 10s. per ton ex warehouse.

BORAX.—Steady trade at 38s. to 40s. per cwt.

BROMINE is quoted 2s. per lb. on the London market.

CALUMBA ROOT is in plentiful supply. Of 100 bags offered in last sales, 41 bags of somewhat mixed quality sold 20s. 6d. to 21s. per cwt.

CAMPHOR has reached the improved position which we have been expecting for some time. Although stocks of raw camphor are not abnormally small, the low prices lately paid for it were decidedly unremunerative, and when further difficulties caused by the recent operations of the French in and about the Island of Formosa had tended to place fresh obstacles in the way, many of the Chinese producers simply abandoned the industry, and, just as we anticipated in our market report, the only source to be relied upon in consequence at present is Japan. Under such circumstances it was only to be expected that holders of raw camphor here should make the most of the position, and by united firm action they have demanded rapidly rising rates, until 85s. per cwt. is now the price. As a natural result, the values of refined qualities followed suit, English advancing to 1s.  $1\frac{1}{2}d$ . per lb., foreign to 1s. per lb., with considerable business in all qualities during the rise. At these rates they stand to-day quiet after the big business which has been done, but by no means weak, and although variations from time will no doubt take place, former low prices cannot be expected to return, at any rate for a considerable period. Spain, in her present cholera epidemic, has also largely adhered to this specific, and by her demands upon the French market for refined qualities has considerably strengthened the present position. Stock of raw

camphor in London, June 30, was 7,742 packages, since when probably some 2,000 will have been delivered.

CANTHARIDES are lower in value. Three casks Russian offered in last sales were bought in at 5s. 6d. per lb.

CARDAMOMS.—Out of 79 cases various sorts offered on Thursday, 48 cases sold at decidedly lower rates.

Cassia Lignea has experienced a considerable speculative business, and at the low prices current at the end of last month nearly 10,000 boxes changed hands at 25s. 6d. to 26s. per cwt. This move quite altered the position of the article, and a rapid rise ensued. Nearly 5,000 boxes have since been sold for arrival at 28s. to 29s. per cwt., and at end of last week 30s. and 31s. per cwt. was paid for spot.

CLOVES have given way in value since our last report, and now good bright Zanzibars may be bought at 5d. per lb.

COCAINE, as anticipated by us, has given way considerably in value, and is now quoted 5s. per gramme and even less.

COD LIVER OIL.—In last sales out of 34 casks Newfoundland offered, 20 casks sold at low price of 3s. 2d. to 3s. 3d. per gallon.

COCHINEAL is in improved demand, with some qualities advanced in price.

CODEIA.-40s. per lb. now asked.

CREAN OF TARTAR is still quoted 128s. per cwt. for "firsts." Shippers are, however, firm in their ideas, and stocks here being low any increased demand on this market would doubtless soon cause a rise in value.

CUBEBS.—Stocks have slightly increased, although they are still by no means great. 74 bags were offered in last sales, but holders showing no disposition to reduce rates they were all bought in at prices ranging from 131. 10s. to 151. per cwt.

ERGOT OF RYE is flat at 7d. to 8d. per lb., and at these rates fails to find buyers.

ESSENCE OF LEMON.—Prices of good quality have a somewhat hardening tendency, and reports from Sicily assert that the lowest figures have now been reached.

GALLS.—The large quantity of 800 packages Turkey were put up in last sales and all bought in at 45s. to 55s. per cwt., as were also 50 cases China at 49s. per cwt.

GINGER.—There has been some extensive business in ginger at former rates, although upon some of the various kinds offered a reduction of 1s. to 1s. 6d. per cwt. had to be accepted.

GUM-ARABIC of all descriptions is gradually receding in value. 15 bales Turkey sorts offered in last drug sales had to be bought in at 5l. 12s. 6d. per cwt.

GLYCERINE is considerably firmer in tone, and makers have already commenced to advance their prices.

HONEY.—Certainly we need not be over anxious about the production of honey in England, while it is being shipped to is continually in such quantities from all parts of the world, some being of exquisite quality. Thus, at what we may look from here as the end of the season, last Thursday's sales included honey from Smyrna, Havre, Jamaica, and New Zeaand.

IODINE.—The combination of makers, which has been in xistence now some eight months, is said to work admirably all sides, and with such perfect accord that it is expected o last, at any rate, for many years to come.

IPECACUANHA is in better demand; out of 21 serons offered a last drug sales, 10 sold at 3s. 9d. to 3s. 11d. per lb.

ISINGLASS.—The sales held 23rd ult. were of little importance, and of the small quantity advertised part was withrawn. Next sales will be held 28th inst., when both a better apply and better demand are expected.

JUNIPER BERRIES continue remarkably scarce.

LEMON JUICE has improved to about 221. per pipe f.o.b. lessina, which makes present price of citric acid low in comurison.

LIME JUICE is not so firm, and in last drug sales 13 punions were offered and bought in at 2s. 3d. to 2s. 11d. per ullon, although 3s. per gallon was recently paid.

MENTHOL CRYSTALS continue to decline in value, the best known brands being quoted 28s. per lb. and upwards, while large odd lots are being offered from time to time at considerably less.

MORPHIA SALTS are now quoted at the low rates of 4s. 6d, to 5s. per lb.

MUSK.—All qualities meet with but little demand at the moment.

OPIUM has experienced more business in the lower qualities, although prices remain unchanged. It is reported that heavy rains have somewhat damaged the coming crop.

OILS.—Aniseed difficult of sale at 6s. 9d. per lb.; citronelle very flat at 11-16d. to  $1\frac{1}{8}d$ . per oz. H. G. Hotchkiss' American peppermint has recovered to 18s. per lb. Cocking's Japan peppermint is quoted 15s. 6d. per lb., and the usual Michigan brand in cases of 30 2 lb. bottles 12s. to 12s. 6d. per lb.

OTTO OF ROSES.—The reports obtained up to the present are somewhat conflicting, a fact not to be wondered at when it is considered that no less than 145 towns and villages are now interested in this extraordinary industry; but so far we may say the majority are of a favourable nature, although very much depends upon the weather experienced while the work of distillation is being carried on. This will be better understood when we mention the fact that under favourable circumstances 2,000 lbs. of rose leaves will yield 1 lb. of the otto, whereas at other times it will take no less than 5.000 lbs. weight of leaves to produce the same quantity. The area required to grow the rose trees to produce such innumerable quantities of flowers covers large tracts of country, and in order to save loss by evaporation after picking small stills are erected in the open fields. It is the more necessary to have the apparatus close at hand, as all the flowers for the same reason are picked if possible before sunrise. Were it not for the ready evaporation of the article, the extensive area of production, and the utter want of prompt means of communication rendering the same impossible, no doubt permanent establishments for the manufacture of otto of roses would have been established long since, but after all the primitive method still necessarily in vogue has a straightforward air about it, in enabling the buyers of this most costly article to witness the process of production.

PETROLEUM OIL has advanced with a steady demand to following rates:—Spot,  $6\frac{3}{4}d$ . to 6 13-16d. September-December,  $6\frac{7}{4}$  per gallon.

PETROLEUM SPIRIT.—Common,  $6\frac{3}{4}d$ . to 7d.; refined, 7d. to  $7\frac{1}{2}d$ . per gallon.

PIMENTO has met with less demand, declining in value to  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ . per lb. fine bright.

POTASH CHLORATE having met with considerable business, price is now advanced to  $6\frac{3}{4}d$ . per lb.

POTASSIUM IODIDE.—English make, steady, at 12s. per lb.; bromide, 1s. 8d. per lb.

QUICKSILVER is very flat, and although importers' price remains at 61., as low as 51. 16s. is accepted in second hands.

QUININE.—Prices are again lower. Howard's at 3s. 4d. per oz. bottles; foreign bulk at 2s. 8d. per oz. tins. Recently, as low as 2s. 6d. was accepted for a big line of 5,000 ozs. of the latter, but the tone of the market has become firmer during the last few days.

RHUBARB remains in poor demand.

SAFFRON.—The continuance of cholera in the growing districts has stimulated business of late upon the London market, and some fairly extensive trade has been done at hardening prices.

SARSAPARILLA.—Of 62 bales Jamaica offered in last sales, 28 sold at prices ranging from 1s. 6d. to 2s. 1d. per lb., according to quality and condition.

SODA.—Crystals are firmer and in better demand at last rates.

SULPHATE OF COPPER is quiet, and the price has been again further reduced to 161. 5s. per ton.

TAMARINDS are again somewhat lower in price. In last drug sales 33 packages Dominica sold at 11s. 6d. per cwt., and 20 barrels Barbadoes at 15s to 15s. 6d. per cwt.

TURPENTINE.—The temporary quietness noticed in our last report soon gave way to a further considerable advance, and the following are present quotations. American spirit, spot 32s., July-August 30s., and September-December 30s. per cwt.

. Vanilloes.—Of 227 tins offered last Thursday 114 sold at slightly lower prices, varying from 10s. to 19s. per lb. according to length and quality, and some mouldy were sold as low as 4s. per lb.

#### (FROM OUR AMERICAN CORRESPONDENT.)

NEW YORK, July 1.

No important features were developed in the drug market during the past month; the movement of trade was without significance, and the business transacted affords no relief from the general spirit of dulness and inactivity that has so long prevailed. The foreign demand has been very small and much below an average.

The prices in parentheses in sterling are what the different articles would cost delivered in London, all market allowances, discounts, &c., being taken into account. Importers can, therefore, see at a glance the course of this market

compared with their own.

Aloes.—This market appears to be overstocked with the dark coarse variety from Curaçoa, 326 boxes arriving in one steamer last week. The price is  $7 \pm c$ . (39s. 3d. cwt.).

BALSAMS.—Copaiba still comes forward and helps to depress an already falling market, 19 barrels of Para arrived during the month; for the grade 34c. is asked (1s.  $6\frac{1}{2}d$ .); good bright thick Maranham is comparatively scarce, price about the same: Maracaibo has been sold at 29c. (1s. 4d.). Canada is not in demand, price nominally 35c. (1s. 7d.). in barrels. Peru is dearer than London, owing to lack of direct imports. Tolu meets with no inquiry, but can be had at 34c. (1s.  $6\frac{1}{2}d$ .), or perhaps less in quantity.

CASCARA SAGRADA BARK is cheaper; prime thin bark, the only kind that should be used, is quoted 15c.  $(8\frac{1}{4}d.)$  per lb.

Tonca Beans.—Angostura have been very active, owing to reports of a short crop, and to the large consumers buying eagerly. The price advanced during the month 50c., imports from England alone reaching over 5 tons. The market closes firm at \$1.70 (7s. 6d.) per lb. Paras have also advanced; stock, however, is small.

BORAX.—Californian refined is cheaper; best is quoted  $7\frac{1}{2}$ c. (37s.), concentrated  $6\frac{1}{2}$ c. (32s. 6d.).

CAMPHOR.—The big spring demand being over, manufacturers are now offering refined more freely and at slightly easier prices, viz.,  $17\frac{1}{2}$ c.  $(9\frac{1}{4}d.)$  in barrels. American refiners do not make their product bell-shaped, but in round flat cakes.

COCA LEAVES.—The total imports during June were 61,000 lbs., and exports 20,000 lbs. At a public auction of 4,000 lbs., brought about by a disputed contract, all sold at 55c. (2s. 6d.) per lb. This may be taken as a fair guide as to the price. *Cocaine* has been reduced by the leading maker to £150 (6s. 9d.), but it is believed that less would be accepted for a bulk quantity.

CUBEBS.—232 bags, or about 7 tons, arrived; they have not affected the market as yet.

GUARANA is not meeting a great demand; 6s. is about the price asked.

COD-LIVER OIL.—Newfoundland is almost out of the market as far as the demand is concerned; prime yellow can be had for 75c. (4s.) gall.

ESSENTIAL OILS.—Sassafras, contrary to expectation, has declined slightly; this has been brought about by the unusually slack demand from Europe, less than half has been shipped this year compared with last, and holders make concessions, hoping to bring business. The distilleries are not working at present. Price for genuine is 43c. lb. (1s. 11½d.). Spearmint is very scarce, and has advanced to \$700 (30s. 3d.). Wintergreen is neglected, but is quoted in glass \$2 (9s.) lb.

Browide Potassium is very firm at 34c. lb.  $(1s. 5\frac{3}{4}d., 5)$  per cent.). When manufacturers have reduced their stock and contracts of bromine, higher rates are expected.

SULPHATE OF QUININE.—The position of affairs remained unaltered until June 15, when aroused by the action of Jobst quoting 65c. per oz. in 100-oz. tins; the American makers dropped their official price 5c., or say to 68c., thus bringing their quotation to the figure the other first-rate German houses were quoting. After considerable hesitation and delay some of the foreign makers reduced their price 3c. per oz., thus indicating a weakness, for hitherto the drop was always 5c. or 10c. The effect of all this, however, is to curtail the demand from the manufacturers, as second-hand holders want to sell out, and small dealers, who invested when the price was a dollar, are disgusted, and prefer to use up their stock without replacing it. Good foreign brands are selling at 60c. (2s. 7½d.), while American, although nominally 68c., can be bought for 62½c. (2s. 8d.). The prices mentioned apply only to large parcels, and to 100-oz. tins.

Roots.—Jalap is quite neglected; 150 bales are in store held for 12c.  $(6\frac{3}{4}d.)$ ; this is prime quality. Mexican Sarsaparilla is again scarce; 280 bales arrived, but were all taken for export at about  $9\frac{1}{2}c.$  (6d.). Honduras is still in small supply. The owner of the M. C. Crown brand has reduced his price to 46c.  $(2s.\ 1\frac{3}{2}d.)$ , cheap grades are not to be had. Senega, prime western, ought to be dearer, for stocks are very light, 48c.  $(2s.\ 3d.)$  is quoted for fair, choice is held for 52c.  $(2s.\ 5d.)$ . Serpentaria continues to decline; 45c. is now asked  $(2s.\ 1d.)$ . Spermaceti, although not in such brisk demand, is very firm at 30c.  $(1s.\ 4d.)$ ; during the summer the refiners do not turn out so much refined sperm oil, and hence do not have any great accumulation of spermaceti.

OIL PEPPERMINT.—The market has received a blow from a small holder of 200 cases of the H. G. Hotchkiss brand, who, after hawking it around here, demanding \$5 (22s.), got into the hands of an interested dealer without stock, and he used it as a lever "to work" the London market, and did succeed in frightening weak holders there by offering for forward delivery, say in August. The object of all this is, of course, to get the price down so that he can buy his share of the new crop cheap; whether he will be able to do this remains to be seen. After all, only 100 cases were sold; the remainder are now offering at much lower rates than the position of stocks would warrant. The crop will be late this year, at least a month later than last. Bulk Oil is scarce, and for prime \$4\$ is now asked (16s. 9d. net).

The following were the Stocks of the chief Drugs, Gums, &c., in the Port of London on June 30:—

	1883	1884	1	1885	1884
Aloescs  " kegs " gourds Aniseed, Star chts Arrowrootcks " bxs & tins Balsamcks, &c. Bark, Medicinal cks & cs " srns, &c. Boraxpkgs Bees' wax bls & srns " cks & cs ", cakes	3,291 31 208 207 13,566 4,400 455 3,075 73,113 525 935 583 3	3,287 6 144 336 12,965 5,572 83 4,269 85,999 636 916 600 42	Gum (cont)— Asafœtidapkgs Benjamin, Damar, Galbanum, Gamboge, Guaiacum, Kino, Kowrietus Masticpkgs Myrrh, E.I, Olibanum, Sandarach, Tragacanth ,I	1,245 1,592 3,790 18 159 75 160 1,323 182 157 7,009 1,567 1,817 15,572	791 1,877 3,604 19 171 600 170 784 161 1,92 6,954 1,655 1,674 20,317
Wax, Jap. vgtbl. pk Camphorpkgs Cardamomschts Cochincal, srns, &c.	797 7,742 833 9,091	2,232 9,116 587 10,681	Spanish srns Ipecac cks & bgs Jalap bls Nux Vomica pkgs	2,715 120 194 726	3,784 198 381 378
Cocc. Ind. bgs, &c. Colombo root pkgs Cream tartarcks Cubebsbgs Dragonsblood chts	313 1,270 58 81 129	814 1,947 66 131 170	Oil—       Castor       .cks         ,"       .cs         Palm       .tns         Cocoanut       .tns         Olive       .cks, &c.	481 3,700 282 2,728 1,910	488 13,733 117 3,895 987
Galls, China & Jap. cs E.Ibgs Trky & Prsn sks Gum—	3,463 1 4,888	4,076 398 4,217	Aniscedcs Cassiacs Opiumchts, &c. Rhubarbchts Saltpetre, Nit. Pot.	321 93 2,099 1,060	351 247 1,714 563
Ammoniac pkgs Animi & Copal pkgs Arabic, Barbary	206 8,673	273 7,940	tons Nitrate Soda " Sarsaparilla bls Senna bls, &c.	2,692 3,003 324 1,520	3,337 2,755 580 2,178
Turkey, E.I	2,063 1,876 6,286	2,141 3,392 1,526	Shellac, total chts Turmeric tons Vermilion chts	51,661 966 —	51,675 883 77

## Monthly Price Current.

The prices quoted in the following list are those actually obtained in Mincing Lane for articles sold in hulk. Our Retail Subscribers must not expect to purchase at these market prices, but they may draw from them useful conclusions respecting the prices at which articles are offered by the Wholesale Firms.

Officer by the Wholesale.									
CHEMICALS.		s.	d.	$\underset{s.}{\text{ontl}}$	d.	S.	his Mo	onth s.	d.
Acetic	per lh.	0	2½ to	0	0	0	2½to	0	0
pure glacial	"	0	5	0	9	0	5	0	9
Benzoic Suhlimate .	"	0	0	3	6	0	0	3	6
Ex Gnm	per oz.	0	6 <del>1</del>	0	0	0	67	0	0
Citric	"	1 3 4	6 2	0	6	1 3	2	0	6
Hydrochloric	per cwt.		<u>6</u>	3 7	6	4	6	3 7 0	6
Nitrie	per lh.	0	3 ···	0	3½ 0	0	ž		3½ 0
Snlphuric	"	0	0§	0	1	0	03	0 0 9 2 0	1
Salicylic	,,	6	9	9	6	6	9	9	6
Tannic	"	1 1	4 7½	2	9	1	4 71	0	9
foreign	,,	1	6	0	0	1	62	0	0
ANTIMONY, crude	per ewt.	21 39	6	0 40	0	21 39	0	0 40	0
ARSENIC, lump	"	21	ŏ	22	ŏ	21	0	22	ŏ
powder	"	12 8	0	0	0	12 8	0	0	0
BRIMSTONE, rough	"	8	9	8	6 9	8	9	8	6
flour	"	10	0	12	6	10	ō	1Ž	6
GLYCERINE, German refined		46	0	47	6	47	6	0	0
crude hrown	"	37 17	6	42	6	37	6	42	6
IODOFORM	per lh.		0	0	0	17	0	0	0
IODINE, dry	per oz.	0	$0^{\frac{81}{2}}$	0	0	0	$0^{\frac{81}{2}}$	0	0
MAGNESIA, calcined	per lh.	0	10	1	4	0	10	1	4
Hwds	per hot.	5 120	0	0	0	· 5	0	0 .20	0
PRECIPITATE, red	per lh.	3	0	0	0	2	11	0	0
PRUSSIAN BLUE	"	2	11	0	0	2	9	0	0
SANTONINE	"	11	6	0	0	11	6	2	0
SALICINE	"	10	0	0	0	10	0	0	0
THYMOL	>>	35	0	0	0	35	0	0	0
Alum	per ton	115	0	0	0	115	0	0	0
powder Ammonia:	"	125	0	0	0	125	0	0	0
Carhonate	per lh.	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	0
Hydrochlorate,		560	0	640		560		340	
crude, white Sulphate	per ton	250	0	640 260	0	230	0	240 240	0
Argol, Cape	per ewt.	83	0	96	0	83	0	96	0
Red Oporto, red	"	70 38	0	90 42	0	70 38	0	90 42	0
Bleaching powder	"	7	9	8	0	7	6	0	0
Porax, British refined	per lh.	38	0 6	40 0	0	38 2	0 ··	40 0	0
Chloral hydrate	,,	4	5	4	7	4	5	4	7
Liehreich's Copper:	"	5	6	6	0	5	6	6	0
Sulphate	per cwt.	16	9	17	0	16	3	16	9
Copperas, green	per ton	45	0	55	0	45	0	55	0
Corrosive Suhlimate Cream Tartar, French	per lh.	128	0 0	0	0	128	0	0	0
hrown	»	109	0	0	0	109	0	0	0
Epsom Salts	",	3	6	4 5	0	3	6	4 5	0
Magnesia: Carhonate	"	40	0	0	0	40	0	0	0
Pond, Hwds	,,	72	0	0	0	72	0	<b>0</b> 5	0
Morphiæ Murias Phosphorus	per lh.	5 2	3 3	5 2	6	2	6 ···	2	0 4
Potash:									
Bichromate	"	0	3½	0	0	0	3½	0	0
Potashes, Canada,	٠.								
lst sort Pearlashes, Canada,	per cwt.	29	o	0	ŋ	29	0	0	0
1st sort	,,	46	0	46	6	46	0	46	6
Chlorate	per lh.	0	6ł	0	0	0	69	0	0
Prussiate	,,	0	$\frac{91}{11}$	0 2	10	0	$11^{\frac{9}{4}}$	2	10
Sulphate	per cwt.	10	6	11	6	10	6	11	6
Potassium:	per lh.	1	6	1	8	1	0	0	0
Bromide	per cwt.	9	0	0	0	9	0	0	0
lodide	per lh.	11	6	70	Ō	11	6	12	Ö
Quinine: Sulphate, British, in									
hottles	per oz.	3	6		0	3	4	0	0
Sulphate, French Sulphate, German	"	3	6		0	3 2	2	2	0 10
Sal Acctos	per'lh.	0	8	. 0	81	0	8	ő	81
Sal Ammoniac, British	per cwt.	38			0	38	0	40	0
Bengal, 6 per cent. or									
under	, ,	16	6	. 0	0	16	6	0	0

Saltpetre :- (cont.)		Last Month	This Month
Bengal, over 6 per	per cwt.	s, d, s, d. 16 3 to 0 0	s. d. s. d. 16 3 to 0 0
British, refined	"	23 6 23 6	22 6 23 6
Soda: Bicarbonate Hwds	"	7 6 7 9 45 0 0 0	7 6 7 9 45 0 0 0
Carhonate: Soda Ash	per deg.		
Soda Crystals	per cwt.	$2 \cdot 10\frac{1}{2} \dots 0 \cdot 0$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Caustic Hyposulphite	"	8 9 9 0	3 9 9 0
Nitrate	"	11 3 0 0	10 3 10 9
Zinc Sulphate SUGAR OF LEAD, White Brown	,,	12 0 14 0 30 0 34 0	12 0 14 0 30 0 34 0
Brown	"	26 6 0 0	26 6 0 0
VERDIGRIS	per lh.	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
	"	2 0 0 0 2 4 0 0	2 2 0 0
DRUGS. ALOES, Hepatic	per cwt.	60 0160 0	60 0140 0
Socotrine	"	65 0160 0	8) 0160 0
Cape, good Inferior	"	25 0 30 0	31 0 37 6 25 0 30 0
Barhados Curaçoa	,,	40 0120 0 30 0 80 0	40 0120 0 3) 0 80 0
Ambergris, grey	per oz.	70 0 85 0	30 0 80 0 75 0 90 0
BALSAM— Canada	per lh.	1 9 1 11	1 3 1 6
Capivi	,,	1 6 1 7	1 6 1 7
Peru	"	5 6 5 8 1 8 1 9	5 6 5 8 1 5 1 6
BARKS→ I			97 6 70 0
Canella alha Cascarilla	per cwt.	25 0 27 6 28 0 35 0	27 6 30 0 28 0 35 0
CINCHONA-	per lh.	0 9 1 8	0.0 1.0
Peru, grey Calisaya, flat	per m.	0 6 1 8	0 6 1 8
quill Carthagena	"	0 9 2 3 0 3 1 2	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Columbian	"	0 6., 1 2	0 6 1 2
Cuprea New Granada	"	0 3 0 10 0 6 1 10	0 3 0 10 0 6 1 10
Pitayo & Maracaiho	"	0 2 0 10	0 2 9 10
Red East India, crown	"	0 6 2 0	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
BUCHU LEAVES	"	0 4 2 0	
CAMPHOR, China	per cwt.	55 0 0 0	85 0 0 0
Japan Refin. Eng	per lh.	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	85 0 0 0 1 14 0 0
Tahlets	,,	0 11 0 0	$1 1\frac{1}{2} \dots 1 3$
CANTHARIDES, China Russian	"	4 0 4 6 6 0 6 6	4 0 4 6 5 6 6 0
CAMOMILE FLOWERS CASTOREUM	per cwt.	40 0 42 0 24 0 35 0	40 0 42 0 24 0 35 0
CHIRETTA		0 3 0 0	0 3 0 0
DRAGON'S BLOOD, lp ERGOT OF RYE	per cwt. per lh.	70 0240 0 0 6½ 0 10	70 0240 0 0 6½ 0 10
FRUITS & SEEDS (see		2	2
also Seeds and Spices) Anise, China Star	per cwt.	92 6 95 0	92 6 95 0
Russian Beans, Tonquin	per lh.	27 6 33 0	27 6 33 0
Cardamoms, Malahar,			
goodinferior	"	4 6 5 6 2 0 3 9	3 6 4 6
Aleppy Madras	"	2 6 4 0	1 9 2 9 2 0 3 0 1 6 3 6
Ceylon	"	2 0 2 10	2 0 2 10
Malahar sorts Cocculus Indicus	per cwt.	3 0 5 0	1 0 4 0
Colocynth, apple	per lh.	0 10 1 3	0 10 1 3
Cuhehs Cummin	per cwt.	240 0280 0 30 0 34 0	30 0 34 0
Fenugreek Juniper Berries	,,	10 0 12 0 15 0 20 0	10 0 12 0
Nux Vomica	,,	7 6 10 0	7 6 10 0
Tamarinds, E. India W. India	,,	8 0 12 0 21 0 22 0	6 0 9 0
Vanilla, large	per lh.	20 0 25 0	17 0 20 0
inferior FLOWERS—Dalmatian	"	8 0 18 0	5 0 12 0 60 0 90 0
Caucasian	,,	95 0 0 0	95 0 0 0
Honey, Californiau Jamaica	per cwt.	26 0 38 6	25 0 35 0
IPECACUANHA ISINGLASS, Brazil	per lh.	26 0 38 6 3 0 4 6 2 0 4 3 1 6 4 10	2 10 4 0 2 0 4 3
Tougue sort	"	1 6 4 10	
East India West India	"	2 9 3 10	2 9 3 10
Russ, leaf, Simovia	,,	7 0 10 0	7 0 10 0
JALAP, good	"		2 2 2 4 0 7 0 9 0 6 0 7
infer, and stems LEMON JUICE	per deg.	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
LIME JUICE	per gall.	1 6 0 0	1 6 0 0 55 0100 0
Liquorice, Spanish Liquorice Root	per cwt.	12 0 20 0	12 0 20 0
Manna, flaky Musk, Tonquiu pod	per lh.	4 6 5 0 75 0 87 6	4 6 5 0 75 0 87 6
Grain	,,	50 0 90 0	50 0' 90 0
Ynnan pod OILS (see also separate list)	"	30 0 40 0	30 0 40 0
Almond, expressed	per lh.	1 3 1 5	1 3 1 5
Castor, 1st pale	"	0 31 0 31	0 31 0 31
Cod-liver	per gal'.	3 0 5 0	3 0 4 6

Oils:-(cont.)		Last Month	This Month	a.,	1	Last Month	This Month
Essential Oils:	12.	s, d, s, d, 25 0 to 0 0	s. d. s. d. 25 0 to 0 0	Oils:—(cont.) SEAL, yellow to tinged	non tun	£ s. £ s. 23 0 to 25 10	£ s. £ s. 23 0 to 24 10
Almond	per lb.	25 0 to 0 0 6 7 6 9	6 7 6 9	browu	per tun	22 0 0 0	22 0 0 0
Anise-seed, star ,, German, &e.	"	8 0 13 0		SPERM	"	FO 0 100 0	55 0 56 0
Bergamot		5 0 5 6	5 0 ., 5 6	Сор	"	38 0 40 0	38 0 40 0
Cajeput	per bot.	3 3 0 0 7 6 11 0	3 3 0 0 7 6 11 0	Whale, South Sea, pale yellow	"	23 0 25 0 22 0 23 0	23 0 24 0 22 0 23 0
Caraway Çassia	per lb.	3 9 4 0		brown	, ,,	20 0 21 0	20 0 21 0
Činnamon	per oz.	1 9 2 6	2 0 2 9	Sardine	,,	25 0 27 0	25 0 27 0
Cinnamon-leaf	,,	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	OLIVE, Seville	per ton	23 0 40 0 23 0 25 0 22 0 23 0 20 0 21 0 25 0 27 0 38 0 39 0 36 0 37 0	36 0 37 0 36 0 37 0
Citronelle	per lb.	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		Gioja Levant	"	35 0 36 0	35 0 36 0
Juniper	,,	1 6 2 0	3 0 3 3 1 6 2 0	Mogador	"	35 10 36 0 40 0 40 10	35 10 36 0
Lavender, Exotie	"	6 9 8 6	6 9 8 6	Spanish	17	40 0 40 10	40 0 40 10
, Mitcham	29	60 0 0 0		Sicily Cocoanut, Coehin	"	38 0 0 0 33 10 0 0	38 0 0 0 33 10 0 0
Lemongrass !	per oz.	0 1 0 11	0 1 .: 0 14	Ceylon	"	28 0 29 0	27 0 28 0
Neroli	,,	7 0 0 0	7 0 0 0 0 8 0 0 8 0 10 0 15 0 30 0	Mauritius	"	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
Nutmeg	per lb.	0 8 0 0 8 0 10 0	0 8 0 0	PALM, fine	,,	30 0 0 0 21 5 21 10 26 5 26 10	30 0 0 0 22 0 22 10
Orange Otto of Roses	per to.	15 0 30 0	15 0 30 0	LINSEED RAPESEED, English, pale	"	26 5 26 10	26 5 26 10
Patchouli	"	1 4 2 0	0 0 0 0	brown	"	24 5 24 10	24 5 24 10
Peppermiut:		13 0 0 0	19 0 19 6	COTTONSEED	,,	24 5 24 10 21 10 23 0 38 0 40 0 28 10 45 0	21 10 23 0
American (H. G. Hotehkisa)	per lb.	13 0 0 0 17 0 0 0	12 0 12 6 18 0 0 0	LARD TALLOW	"	28 10 45 0	26 0 38 0 28 10 45 0
English	"	26 0 28 0	26 0 28 0	2111110 // 11111111111111111111111111111	"	3. U 8. U.	s. d. s. d.
German	"	8 0 14 0	26 0 28 0 8 0 12 0 12 0 15 6	TURPENTINE, American	per cwt.	25 0 25 9	30 0 32 0
Japan	"	15 0 17 0 32 0 35 0	12 0 15 6 23 0 35 0	PETROLEUM, refined	per gall.	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Menthol crystals	"	2639	2639	SEEDS. Spirit	,,		0 1 11 0 12
Rosmary	"	2 6 0 0	2600	CANARY	per qr.	48 0 60 0	48 0 60 0
Spearmint	"	12 0 14 0	12 0 14 0	CARAWAY, English	per cwt.	0 0 0 0 40 0 56 0	0 0 0 0 37 0 50 0
Thyme	per oz.	0 2 0 0	2 6 0 0 0 2 0 0	German, &c.	"	14 0 23 0	14 0 23 0
OPIUM, Turkey	per lb.	15 0 17 0		HEMP	per qr.	38 0 0 0	38 0 0 0
" inferior	,,	11 0 13 0	11 0 13 0	LINSEED, English	,,	42 6 0 0	42 6 0 0
QUASSIA (bitter wood) RHUBARB, China, good	per ton	80 0120 0	80 0120 0	Black Sea & Azof Calcutta	,,	42 0 0 0	42 0 . 0 0
and fine	per lb.	2 3 3 9 1 3 2 0	2 3 3 9 1 3 2 0	Bombay	"	42 0 0 0	42 0 . 0 0
Middling to fair	,,	1 3 2 0	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	St. Petersburg	,,	35 0 38 0 10 0 12 0	35 0 38 0 10 0 12 0
POORS Columba		25 0 40 0	25 <b>0</b> 40 0	MUSTARD, brown	per bush.	7 6 9 6	10 0 12 0
ROOTS—Calumba China	per ewt.	25 <b>0</b> 40 <b>0</b> 22 <b>0</b> 27 <b>0</b>	25 <b>0</b> 40 0 22 <b>0</b> 27 0	white POPPY, East India	per qr.	7 6 9 6 39 0 0 0	35 0 38 0 10 0 12 0 7 6 9 6 37 6 0 0
Cus-Cus	"	0000	0 0 0 0		F 1		
Galangal	"	15 0 18 0	15 0 18 0	SPICES.		90 0 90 0	70 0 71 0
Gentian	",	20 0 24 0 23 0 50 0	20 0 24 0 23 0 50 0	Cassia Lignea Vera	per cwt.	26 0 26 6 18 0 23 0	30 0 31 0 18 0 23 0
Pellitorý	"	68 0 80 0	68 0 80 0	Buds	"	34 0 0 0	18 0 23 0 34 0 0 0
Pink	per lb.	1 6 0 0	1 6 0 0	CINNAMON, Ceylou:		0 0 0 1	
Rhatany	» ·	0 5 0 6 2 4 2 6	0 5 0 6 2 4 2 6	1st quality 2nd ditto	per lb.	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 9 \dots & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 6 \dots & 1 & 9 \end{bmatrix}$
Suake	**	1 6 0 0		3rd ditto	"	0 5 1 2	0 5 1 2
Suake	"	27 6 35 0	1 6 0 0 27 6 35 0	Tellicherry	"	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
SARSAPARILLA, Lima	"	20 0 25 0 0 6 1 0	20 0 25 0 0 6 0 9	Chips	"	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Guayaquil	"	1 2 1 5	1 2 1 5	Amboyna	"	0 8 0 9	0 8 0 94
Honduras	"		1 2 1 6	Zanzibar	33	0 51 0 53	0 42 0 5
Jamaiea	per cwt.	1 6 1 10 0 0 0 0	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	GINGER, Jam., fine	per ewt.	75 0 200 0 47 6 70 0	75 0200 0 47 6 70 0
SCAMMONY, Virgin	per lb.	32 0 35 0	28 0 32 0	Ord. to good	,,	30 0 35 0	30 0 35 0
second and ordinary	"	15 0 28 0	10 0 24 6	Bengal	" .	30 0 35 0	30 <b>0</b> 35 <b>0</b>
Senna, Bombay Tinnivelly	37	0 21 0 0 0 0 3 1 2	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Malabar	,,	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 40 0107 0
Alexandria	91 99	0 3 1 2 0 9 1 6	0 9 1 6	Coehin PEPPER, Black, Malabar	per'lb.	0.74. 0.8	0 71 0 8
SPERMACETI, refined	"	1 3 0 0	1 3 0 0	Singapore	"	0 7 0 2	0 7 0 7½
American Squills	,,	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	0 10½ 0 0 0 1 0 2½	White	,,	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	0 93 0 101
GUMS.	**	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	£ s. £ s	Cayenne	"	1 4 2 0	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Ammoniaci, drop	per cwt.	2 5 2 10	2 5 2 10 15 0 17 0	2nd and inferior	" .	1 1 1 2	1 1 1 2 2 6 3 5
Animi, fine washed	99	18 0 19 0 13 0 17 10	15 0 17 0 12 0 15 0	Numbers, 78 to 60 to lb.	"	2 6 3 3 1	1 2 1 6 1 4 2 0 1 1 1 2 2 6 3 5 2 3 2 5
ARABIC, pale picked	"	2 15 3 10	2 15 3 10	90 80 ,, 132 95 ,,	"	2 3 2 5 1 7 2 3	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
sorts, mid. to fine	"	1 10 2 6	1 10 2 6 8 10 10 0	PIMENTA	"	0 21 0 23	0 2 0 2½
TURKEY, pick. gd. to fin. second & inferior	,,	8 10 10 0 7 0 8 10	8 10 10 0				
sorts	17	5 10 6 0	7 0 8 10 5 5 5 15	VARIOUS PRODU	CIB.		
ASAFŒTIDA, cm. to fin.	17	1 10 3 0	1 10 3 0	Honduras, black	per lb.	1 6 1 9	1 6 1 9
Benjamin, Siam, 1st		14 0 32 0	14 0 32 0	Mexican, black	"	1 3 1 6	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Sumatra	"	5 0 10 0	5 0 10 0	" silver	"	1 2 1 4 /	1 9 1 4
	- 1	S. d. S. d.	s. d. s. d.	Teneriffe, black	,,	1 6 Z U	1 6 2 0
COPAL, Manila Angola, red	99	15 0 67 0 145 0152 6	15 0 75 0	GALLS, Tky blue	"	1 3 1 5	1 3 1 5 50 C 52 O
DAMAR, pale	33 33	75 0 87 6	145 0152 6 75 0 87 6	, China	"	40 0 50 0	43 0 47 6
EUPHORBIUM	,,	10 0 15 0	10 0 15 0	INDIGO, Bengal	"	16501	1 9 6 7
GALBANUM	per lb.	230 0 . 250 0	0 3 0 10 230 0250 0	" Madras " Kurpah	,,	0 8 2 6 0 10 4 9	0 5 3 4 0 10 4 9
GUALACUM	per lb.	0621	0 6 2 1	" Oude	"	1 0 5 0 1	1 0 5 0
KINO	per ewt.	28 <b>U</b> 30 0	28 0 30 0	Guatemala	"	1 3 5 8 3 9 10 0	1 3 5 8
Kowrie, sorts	"	30 0 50 0 115 0 260 0	30 0 50 0	ROSIN, American	per cwt.	3 9 ,. 10 0	3 9 10 0 28 0 <b>0</b> 0
Mastic, picked	per'lb.	2 0 3 0	110 0200 0	SOAP, Castile	per gall.	28 0 0 0	1700
MYRRH, good and fine	per ewt.	100 0150 0	100 0 150 0	WAX, BEES, English	per cwt.	£0 0 £0 0	£0 0 £0 0
OLIBANUM, p. drop	"	80 0140 0	80 0140 0	Jamaica	"	6 15 7 10 6 0 7/12/6	6 15 7 10 6 0 7/12/6
amber and yellow	57 57	39 0 45 0 29 0 37 0	39 0 45 0 29 0 37 0	East India VEGETABLE, Japan	"	£3 0 £3 5 1	£3 15 £1 0
SENECAL	29	40 0 45 0	40 0 45 0	Paraffin	per lb.	0 4 0 6	0 4 0 6 £3 5 3 10
SANDARAC SHELLAC, Orange	"	60 0 105 0	60 0 105 0	WOOD, DYE, Bar	per ton	0 4 0 6 £3 5 3 10 7 0 18 0	£3 5 3 10
LIVER	"	64 0 85 0 58 0 63 0	64 0 85 0 58 0 63 0	Brazil	,,	7 0 18 0	7 0 18 0 16 0 30 0
THUS	, ,,	25 0 0 0	25 0 0 0	Fustie, Cuba	. "	4 0 6 0	4 0 6 0
TRAGACANTH, leaf	17	140 0280 0	140 0280 0	Jamaica	"	4 5 5 15	4 5 5 15
	"	20 0180 0	20 0180 0	Logwood, Campeachy Jamaica	. "	7 10 8 5 5 0 5 10	7 10 8 5 5 0 5 10
OILS.		£ s. £ s.	£ s. £ s.	Lima, first pile	"	8 5 . 8 10 5/17/6 . 6 9	8 5 8 10
SEAL pale	per tun	27 0 27 10	26 0 27 0	RED SANDARS	79	5/17/6 6 9	5/17/6 6 0



The New By-Laws.

To the Chemist and Druggist-

SIR,-The new by-laws having passed the special General Meeting, they will, I suppose, ere long be submitted to the Privy Council for approval. At the adjourned meeting I was precluded by the rules of debate from replying on any amendment, and before they become law I wish to fire a parting shot. I think at the last meeting there was evident rashness on the part of the President; he appeared to force the meeting, not to reason with those who differed from him. He first wished the meeting to decide not to send the matter back to the Council for amendment-that they had had enough of it—and then refused the suggested after-amendments as ultra vires.

The purpose of the new by-laws is twofold—(1) to institute a curriculum before a candidate can pass the Minor (which I doubt if a by-law can legally accomplisb); and (2) to divide the Minor examination—this, I think, a by-law may be able to effect. My principal objection was to the division of the latter, and having the first part of it a written examination conducted in country centres. Mr. Symes, at the meeting, assumed that I was probably the only man in the room who objected to the mode of division suggested by the Council, i.e., having dispensing (or manipulation, I would term it) in the second part of the examination (I would have it in the first). He must have known that several of his colleagues on the Council, and many others besides, agreed with me. It is said that my alteration would merely be a matter of detail, yet it is a detail affecting the very vitality of the proposed change.

While the Council were debating the subject, Mr. Greenish was much taken to task for saying "that as far as the safety of the public was concerned, a practical man who had passed no examination was more to be relied upon than a theoretical man who has passed the highest examination of the Pharmaceutical Society." Without saying so much, in my experience two of the best assistants I have had had never passed tbc Minor examination even, while, on the other hand, I have bad an (1) ex-Bell scholar (one who held the scholarship during his apprenticeship) who was of very little use as an assistant—having made two botches of two batches of syrup of iodide of iron, he thought he would try back on pure chemistry, and left me; (2) a pharmaceutical friend asked me to take a young man who had been with him six months, and for three years previous to that be bad been a student of chemistry at the Royal School of Mines, he had also read a paper before an evening meeting of the Pharmaceutical Society, but as a pharmacist he was a complete failure; and finally (3) I had one who had passed the Major-he came to me from Mr. Schacht's employ-he, too, was a failure-be would address medicine to Mrs. Clark, when the name on the prescription before him was Mrs. Clarke (with final "e"). For careful, quick, and accurate dispensing, the training of an apprenticeship is best for the young pharmacist, and the new race of chemists (those who have been examined themselves) have a great responsibility in the matter. Unfortunately many of these have not done all that was expected of them, and the responsible personal teaching and supervision over an apprentice is now to be abandoned in favour of irresponsible professors, lecturing or teaching numbers of students in classes or laboratories; thus the bright students will succeed in passing the examinations, while the dull and the idle ones, who under personal supervision might do well, after once failing, will go the crammer, who will teach them how to "answer questions." Let it not be supposed that opportunities of attending a series of chemical lectures should not be embraced; but it is assumed that this training may go on during apprenticeship, that much of the apprentice's time may be well spent in classes in a chemical laboratory, that a curriculum is all that is wanted to make pharmaccutical education complete! How delusive this royal road to pharmacy is may be shown by the number of failures there are among "square" pupils who go up for the Minor

examination.

Happily the race of practical and expert English assistants is not extinct, and for work they are prized everywheremuch more than either a German or a French pharmacist is, notwithstanding the scientific training these latter go through. But dexterity, we are told, is to be a secondary consideration—it is almost to be despised; yet an ex-Vice-President of the Pharmaceutical Society once informed me he owed much of his success in tlife to an incident showing his dexterity. When young, he said, spread plasters were much more in request than now, and his master was an expert hand at spreading them; so proud was he of his work that in his establishment he never allowed anyone but himself to spread them. This put my informant on his mettle, and he set himself the task of being equal to his master in this art. So after business hours, when on duty, he practised spreading with the iron adbesive plaster on brown paper, melting and scraping the plaster off the paper, and using it again and again as far as possible, until one day he made bold to ask his master to be allowed to spread a plaster for a customer. This he did with such success as regards quickness and dexterity that his master was surprised, and having found a kindred spirit, he deputed much of this duty, his forte, to the youth who had thus succeeded in gaining bis esteem and confidence. The expert manipulator is always at great advantage—the engineer must begin work as a smith, and the shoemaker's apprentice must sew leather; it would be absurd to teach the latter the chemistry of tanning first. In training apprentices I fear chemists often lose sight of the advantage of using dummies; we are so utilitarian these days. Yet, where ounces of salts are not in large sale, linseed may be wrapped into ounce packets in newspaper, so as not to be able to tell t'other from which, or a mass made of linseed meal and rolled into pills for practice, just as medical students have to practise bandaging a leg that is not broken, so as to be able to dexterously to bandage a broken leg wbcn one does fall to their lot. apprentice should, in the words of Fuller, be taught to have a "hating for nothing so much as idleness."

As I have said, much of the manipulatory work required by the public of the pharmacist is done by reflex action with little or no mental effort, but to do it easily and to be skilful at it, it must be, like learning to play the piano, commenced early—as early as possible after schooldays are I have witnessed the painful efforts of an adult commencing lessons on the piano-a pharmacist without early practical training is quite as incorgruous. It is argued that as apprentices are now taken—that is, principally by chemists in small country towns - they have little opportunity of learning dispensing, having no prescriptions to dispense—that in these towns medical men dispense their own medicines to their patients. But such a condition of things is changing and must alter still more, as now the training of the medical pupil in practical pharmacy is so slight—generally only three months in a hospital dispensary—that before the by-laws come into force in 1890 (if they ever do) I look forward to a different state of things. The medical practitioner, having no taste for handling the "villainous saltpetre," will require some one to mix it with "the parmaceti for an inward bruise," and who but the pharmacist can do it? It is true there are pharmacists and pharmacists, and if one pharmacist lays himself out to carry on the business of a drysalter or to be a chapman of nostrums, and another gives his attention to preparing medicines, the latter will receive the pharmaceutical rewards due to him. In considering the regulations for the training of the young pharmacist likewise, it should be borne in mind that the present state of things will not continue, but that improvement in the pharmacist's business will take place rather than that a retrograde movement should be reckoned on. But while at one breath blowing cold and reckoning on the continuance of things as they are, the Council are inconsistent in blowing hot and putting difficulties in the way of those entering the business without offering any additional inducement to follow it, and without there being a public call for these restrictions. The result will be that handy errand boys, quite unable to pass the Preliminary examination even. will be trained to dispense, and become patient drudges as assistants all their lives. The public require of the pharmacist that he shall do his duty in the sphere of life in which Providence has placed him. According to a recent pamphleteer, the Pharmaceutical Society is by the action of

its Council becoming like the frog in the fable of the bull and the frog, and he invokes Parliament to hasten its finale

by repealing the Act of 1868.

It was objected at the adjourned meeting that delay would not be beneficial, that the Council had been five years discussing these by-laws. This, I think, was unknown to the members, as their publication on January 10 last took us by surprise, and after five years' debating one of the six subjects of the Minor examination was omitted from the by-laws as then published. Pharmacy was not mentioned there, although it was afterwards put first in the reprint sent out with the report. If in addition to what the Council are attempting to do by by-laws could have been so done, the delay of six or twelve months to introduce two or three additional by-laws to constitute the North British Branch on a satisfactory basis would have tended to promote greater concord with pharmacists over the border; customary use has given them a legal right which, I think, cannot be taken from them. It is quite evident they are not satisfied that the present condition of things should continue.

Your obedient servant,

10 New Cavendish Street, W., WM. MARTINDALE. July 11, 1885.

#### Poisons by Auction.

To the Chemist and Druggist.

SIR,—Herewith I enclose catalogue of a sale of bankrupt stock of a "chemist, grocer, seedsman, and ironmonger." The list of drugs for sale is such a curiosity in its way that I thought it might amuse readers of THE CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST. I must leave it to your discretion to publish such parts of it as you think fit.

Some of the names are so perverted that it is difficult to guess what the originals could have been, but the majority

are old friends in new guise.

What will be the effect of the distribution "to the highest bidder, with all faults or errors in the description," of such drugs and chemicals as opium, ergot, digitalis, cantharides, chloral, nitric acid, corrosive sublimate, tartar emetic, &c., time alone will show. One can easily imagine most serious consequences ensuing to the physic-taking community. One would think that here if anywhere the Pharmaceutical Society should step in and assert its rights. That a chemist should undergo all the training that is now necessary in order to sell twopennyworth of laudanum, and that a man with no special training whatever should be able to sell quantities of poisonous drugs and chemicals of which he does not even know the name is manifestly an injustice.

It is to be hoped there are not many "pharmacies" where the stock is sufficiently comprehensive to include door-knockers, seythes, melodeons, fishing-tackle, treacle, lobsters, marmalade, candles, British wines, and factorentnic (sig.)

marmalade, candles, British wines, and faetopeptnie (sic).

3 Cambridge Terraee, London, S.W. I am, yours, &c.

July 3, 1835. W. C. S

[The catalogue sent us is an extraordinary production. It announced the sale by auction without reserve on July 1, 2, 3, of a choice variety of ironmongery, drugs, groeery, and furniture, at Albrighton, Shropshire, heretofore the property of Mr. R. H. V. Beck, chemist, grocer, seedsman, and ironmonger, of that place. A person of that surname and address but with different initials appears on the register of chemists and druggists. The auctioneer was Mr. F. G. Richards, of Madeley, Broseley, and Much Wenlock, who was "instructed by J. J. Sudbury, Esq., Official Receiver to the Court of Bankruptey." The following are a few specimen lots as printed in the catalogue:—

- Helebore pulv. Oxalic acid. Nux vomica. Aloes bart. Potass hicarh. pulv. Potass cryst.
- Magnesia powd. Magnesia calc. Magnesia feris. Potass tart. Sod. p. tart. Amon. hydr.
- Cayenne lozenges. Paregoric lozenges. Four hottles of hop hitters. Liq. cocei. Tin. aconiti. Tin. acon. meth.
- 7. Tinctures.-Digitalis, coni, lavend, ferri, aurant, gelsemi.
- 12. Black draught. Pulv. antun tart. (parcel and hottles). Pulv. colch. (parcel). Pulv. crit. co. Pulv. bayles. Pulv. ox hyd. rub.
- 14. Puly.—Canel alb, hyd. C crcta, P iperæ co; opei, bisin. iris, antimon.
- Pulv. hnd. bi, cho, jactopeptine, calomel, scam, spirits camphor, spirits nitre.

- Spirits sal, Liq. ammon. Laudanum. Tinct. parcgoric. Tin. opedeldoc. Carb. acid (three bottles).
- Liq. opic sed. Liq. ferri perche fost. Tin. bilica and soap with opii.
   Diq. bismuth. Anin cit. tarax.
- Acid.—Su'phur dil, muric, nitric, nitro dyddic, acetic glacine, aromat.
   Daffy's elixir, infus. digitalis, suc. scoparri, spir. chloroform. Liq. arsnic, oil pulegar.
- 33. Oil.—Meuth pep, amher, carroway, annisced, octoher, chlorof.
- 34. Liq.—Plumbi, vireawl, chlorodine, glycerine (three bottles), rose wat. 40. Extract.—Belladonna, coni, jalap, colo, nucis nomicæ, ferrum pedacton.
- 41. Pill ingis, ammon. bromide, hydrate chloral, musk, pil galha, pil scilly.
- Pil. rhei co., pulv.—cubihœ, canthar, Pussian aud Indigo hlue, tight euphort pulv., dark celestine hlue.
- 49. Nitric acid, ol. spike, sper. salts, hutter antimony, ol. swallows, vividi.
- 53. Sy, ferri iodi, acid acetic dil., almond oil, balsam cop., eighteen jars of ointments.
- Nad mozerion, pulv. granusi, red launders, P. aristolviti, P. colocynth, rose leaves.
- Phosphate soda, Virginia jake, Jamaica tar soap, best senna leaves common senna leaves, camomile blows.
- 69. Strong acetic acid (1 gal.), butter antimony (1 gal.), meth. spirits (1 gal.), fluid magnesia (1 gal.).

We need hardly point out that such a sale as this is entirely illegal, and we direct special attention to the fact that it was authorised by a Government official. Apart from any law we should hardly have expected that any men of ordinary common sense would take part in such a reckless distribution of wholesale quantities of poisons; and if sales like this were not illegal, a special Act of Parliament to make them so would be justified. Some time since a similar sale was stopped in London by a notification from the Pharmaceutical Society, the information having been first given in this journal. It is much to be desired that when an opportunity occurs a prosecution should be instituted against the responsible parties in such a case as this, pour encourager les autres.]

#### Trade Titles.

Mr. R. Lord Gifford (Blackburn) sends us two labels which, as we understand, he has used in his business. One is headed "Biood-purifying Mixture," gives doses, name, and address, and the line "The Hydrobromates of Quinine and Iron are a Natural Tonic." The other label is headed "Hop Tonic, an invigorating Stomach Bitter," gives dose and name and address, and contains a green picture representing a hop-branch. Concerning these labels, Mr. Gifford writes:—
"I had two letters from Clarke & Co., advertising agents, and asked advice from the Chemists and Druggists' Trade Association. "Hop Tonic" is a stock-label, and is sold to chemists pretty generally. Possibly the opinion may be of some general value. Any way, I wish to add my testimony to the courtesy and attentiveness to our interests of the officials of the Chemists and Druggists' Association."

Mr. Gifford's labels and letters were submitted by Mr. Haydon, the secretary of the Trade Association, to Mr. Henry Glaisyer, LL.B., the solicitor to the Association,

and Mr. Glaisyer gave the following opinions:—

#### Hop Tonic.

"DEAR SIR,—I have compared your correspondent's label with the trade-mark of the Hop Bitters Manufacturing Company, and, but for the elements mentioned below, I should have no hesitation in advising that Mr. Gifford is acting within his rights. The elements I allude to are the use of an amber-coloured bottle, and the representation of a spray of hop-vine, coloured green, appearing on the label immediately under the word 'Hop.' The company, in my view, cannot prevent Mr. Gifford from calling his preparation 'Hop Tonic,' but the Court can and will, in the exercise of its general jurisdiction for the repression of fraud, award injunctions and damages in cases where, but for the fraud, no remedy would have been given. It seems clear upon the face of the matter that your correspondent, wittingly or unwittingly, is doing more than simply exercising his right to sell Hop Tonic. Still he has a fighting case, though his position would be much stronger, in my view, if he had no hop-spray on his label, and the vessel containing the preparation were 'bottle-green.'

#### " Re Blood-purifying Mixture.

"I have looked into this case, and am of opinion that the words 'Blood Mixture" were not properly registerable as a trade-mark, under the provisions of the Trade-mark Registration Act, 1875, see. 10. Further, that the label before me, which is said to be an infringement of the rights of the Lincoln and Midland Counties Drug Company, is not an infringement of any valid right of theirs, and I see no element of fraud in the case. I think Mr. Gifford can successfully defend himself if he be attacked.

"Yours faithfully,
"26 Waterloo Street, Birmingham, "HENRY GLAISYER.
"June 1.

"W. F. Haydon, Esq."

Without at all depreciating the soundness of Mr. Glaisyer's opinion, it appears to us only prudent to remind chemists that the owners of Hop Bitters or Blood Mixture would probably differ from him, and may at any time try conclusions. In other words, persons who adopt these titles as their own must understand that they take their chance of an action.

11/36. Pills.—Any one labelling pills of his own manufacture as "Holloway's," "Whelpton's," "Beecham's," &c., is undoubtedly infringing the rights of those proprietors, and besides is contravening the Medicine Stamp Act. But it is not illegal to take an original stamped box and sell its contents in small quantities. (See C. & D., May 1882.)

36/41. Levis.—The law as it has been interpreted by the highest authorities declares that a properly incorporated limited company is not affected by the first fifteen sections of the Pharmacy Act; that is, such a company may open a chemist's shop, may call itself "chemist and druggist," and may sell all poisons. The company is not a person. Any sale of poison hy such a company must he, however, in the manner prescribed in the Act. Any seven or more persons may form a limited company, and it is quite unnecessary that any one of them should he qualified to carry on the abovenamed husiness, nor is it necessary to employ a qualified manager.

#### Notice to Leave.

30/72. A. asks—Is an assistant engaged at — per annum and paid weekly, giving notice to leave (without specifying any time), at liherty to leave in a fortnight without sacrificing

a fortnight's wages?

A notice to he of any value must be definite and certain. An intimation that the assistant would leave at some future time without saying when would have no force whatever. He ought to give a month's notice of his intention to leave, for the following reason:—Every engagement is entered into subject to the eustom of the trade or occupation, and in this trade a month's notice is customary. Hence, when an engagement is entered into, both parties thereto are supposed to have had the custom in their minds, and thus it becomes incorporated in the agreement. The fact of the salary being paid weekly or monthly makes no difference, unless the hiring is hy the week, in which case a week's notice would be sufficient. If there were no such custom as we have referred to, a yearly hiring could not be determined until the end of the year.

#### Medical Charges.

37/50. T. M. D. would like to know whether there is any eustomary charge which surgeons make to chemists for ordinary midwifery eases; whether, in fact, there is nsually any discount to the trade. He has just been charged 2l. 2s.; he does not complain of the amount, but would like to know if it is usual. He adds, "I hear complaints from customers that doctors do not now give particulars in sending their accounts. For example: 'To medical attendance, Christmas to Midsummer, £'.' I suppose there is no remedy except to ask for particulars when you want them." No one need pay an account without particulars, but it is unpleasant to have to ask for these. We quite agree that the practice of furnishing accounts in the manner quoted is very objectionable.

Several correspondents have sent us cuttings of the following advertisement, which, it appears, was recently published in the *Pharmaceutical Journal*:—

A PORTER and Gardener (one who can Dispense Medicines preferred), at the Grantham Cottage Hospital. Apply, stating age, whether married, wages required, and other particulars, to G. W. G. Beaumout, Hon. Sec., Hospital, Grantham.

One says "comment is superfluous"; others do not seem to think so, and two of our friends burst forth into song over the occurrence. Their musical criticisms leave nothing further to be said.

A ronten and a gardener! We are getting on apace, The grimy sweep and dustman next our business will embrace; We all shall be dispensers, a happy merry band, And shower materia medica o'er all the pleasaut land.

Can't you see the active porter, thick with dirt from top to too, Rushing out into the garden, the cabbages to hoe; And then with muddled, fuddled wits, and blackened filthy hands, Dispensing pills and powders for the patients' sad demands?

Where doctors reign, ah! what a veil this roughly draws aside, And shows behind their surgery doors how laws may be defied; They evidently think, though they prescribe the healing cup, That any ragamuffin has the braius to make it up.

The print whose special mission should with chemists interests deal, By sending back the money would have better shown its zeal; And in pointing to its pages, said, politely, "He who sends Such rubbish for insertion is insulting its best friends."—R. W. C.

#### The Dispensing Gardener!

A SINGULAR anomaly 's appeared upon the board (We think no acquisition to the pharmaceutic horde!), A swain whose task it is to cultivate the soil, But who undertakes dispensing as an adjunct to this toil. Commencing with the less-refined department of his trade, He wends his way, at early morn, with water-pot and spade, To turn o'er, spit by spit, the earth still wet with dew, Then wonders from the seed ho sows, what produce will accrue. Soon other complications vex his chemi-cultural brain, And lead him thence to ruminate in pharmaceutic strain; For pausing from his arduous task, and resting on his spado, He tries to quote constituents of which some tincture's made ; But fickle memory is to blame for more than one omission. And makes him add ingredients to the tincture's composition. Reclining with an Attfield, next, beneath a shady tree, He plunges into chemistry's unfathomable sea: No wonder that the weeds are growing thicker every day, And flowers, from want of moisture, prematurely fade away! But time is ever on the wing, he therefore must repair From garden to dispensary, for duty waits him there. He enters, and, of course, presents a much-besmeared attire, But then, an apron's made to hide the greater portion of the mire. Unfortunately his tools are in a rather grimy state, And not quite everything, perhaps, which fashion might dictate. Dispensing now begnn, his hand's unsteady-for the change From water-pot to water-bottle comes a trifle strange, So measures with the counter often come into collision-The former end, like most debates, in subsequent division ! Then spade compared with pestle makes the latter seem too light, Heuce mortars are assailed from an unuccessary height. But what should make his brow contract, and why this sudden page? Perhaps illegible caligraphy 's connected with the cause; For tiresome and unorthodox prescription comes to hand, Contains a long direction which he caunot understand. Such dictums are in English, here, to take it as a rule, This savours of the idioms of the ancient Latin school. Still everything seems quite distinct-that probably vexation Arises from the trifling lack of Classic education. It may be from this last defect, and inexperience, too, That other inconsistencies at various times accrue; This be as it may, the hero of combined professions Lahours, but too dearly, under incorrect impressions. He "magnes, sulph," and "zinci sulph," regards as quite the same ('Tis true they 're more or less allied, that, p'rhaps, he 's not to blame)! Then, as an inference from this fact he really cannot sec The reason why these drngs should always separated be; That further prompted by economy of space, he, nothing loth, Appoints one drawer in future to accommodate them both. Simple mixture-oh, what joy !- that "potass. tart." to read, Quite natural that this bottle is produced with greater speed, But later, when replacing same, more natural he should start,

Since one full ounce has been dispatched of "Antim,-potass, tart,"!

We will not follow further complications that arise, For these, we think, our readers will be able to surmise, But, should this said anomaly cease ever to exist, We think, at least, are confident, he never would be missed!

W. E. PRITCHETT AND W. COLE.

To the Chemist and Druggist-

#### A Caution.

SIR,—We have just received information from Sydney that some person has been calling upon the wholesale drug houses in Melbourue, falsely stating himself to he our representative, Mr. William Shepperson. He evidently first called at the post office, and fraudulently obtained the letters waiting there from us for Mr. Shepperson, and by the exhibition of these documents he endeavoured to get possession of goods and money from sundry of the wholesale houses. On being questioned closely upon the subject of our different preparations he displayed such complete ignorance, that we believe in no single instance was he successful in obtaining his object. As he may attempt the same scheme in other places, we think it right to put you in possession of these facts in order that your readers, whom it may concern, may be upon their guard.

Our representative, Mr. William Shepperson, who has been making an extended tour through India, China, Japan, &c., will have no difficulty in identifying himself. Yours very respectfully,

BURROUGHS, WELLCOME & Co.

Snow Hill Buildings, E.C., June 26.

A. J. S.—The title "Vaseline" is undoubtedly the invention and the property of the Chesebrough Company. If auyone else uses it on labels it is only by sufferance of the proprietors, and, if used for any preparation not manufactured by the company, they would very naturally object. We should expect, too, they would certainly prohibit any trader from using the word "vaseline" in connection with his own name (as for instance, "X's vascline"), even if he used vaseline manufactured by themselves.

33/43. Inquirer.—To Clean Fusty Ale-casks.—Rinse out the casks once or twice with ooiling water, then with solution of bisulphite of lime (1 pint to 1 gallon of cold water), and, lastly, with warm water. If the fustiuess is not removed by this treatment, repeat the washing with bisulphite.

33/38. B. B. B.—To Clean and Bleach Extracted Teeth.—Immerse the teeth for a day in a weak solution of soda (2 oz. of liquor sodæ, B.P., to 1 pint of water). Give them an occasional stir with a stick. Then pour off the alkaline solution, wash the teeth well with cold water, and then in a hath of chlorinated lime ( $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. to 1 pint of water) for ten minutes. Finally, wash and dry.

32/73. C. C. D.—Ginger·beer Powders.—We printed a formula only in May last. German Yeast is worthless within ten days after it is received in this country, so that you can make no practical use of it. German Yeast Powder is a baking-powder seut out by some firms. It does not contain yeast. Essence of Rennet.—For full details see 1884 Diary, page 124. Briefly, the directions were to get fresh rennets, and treat each separately. Remove the salt, and if in excess of 5 oz. treat the excess on a filter with rectified spirit till the filtrate measures 3 oz. Macerate the rennet for ten days in a solution consisting of the (5 oz.) salt from the rennet; syrupy lactic acid, 3j.; glycerine, 3j.; water, 3xxxx. Filter; add the spirituous solution, and tiut with lic. cocci.

#### Cutting Prices.

To the Chemist and Druggist-

SIR,—While I could not help being interested in the article headed "Modern Pharmacy in London," which appeared in last issue of The Chemist and Druggist, I could not help wondering whether you were not acting contrary to the interests of the trade generally in giving such prominence to a style of business which, wherever carried on, must inevitably tend to ruin all other businesses within its radius. In proportion to its success must it militiate against others increasing, and the tendency of others near must be downwards. By Mr. Thomas' own admission he has raised a great deal of opposition in the trade, and made enemies of many who are in it. He is a kind of Ishmael among his brethren—"His hand against every man, and every man's hand against bim." Mr. Thomas seems to glory in this alienation of feeling.

"Live and let live" has always been my motto, and I have always tried to do to others as I would that they should do to me; but the motto of all these men" who (having capital enough to enable them to huy in very large quantities, and therefore to great advantage) supply the public con-

siderably below the legitimate prices of others must be "Never mind who sinks so long as I swim." I am aware that, as a rule, the weakest will go to the wall; but I should be very sorry to think that, in my too-eager haste to get on, I had helped to send them there. I suppose there never was a time when it was so difficult to keep up and increase your business as now, and it is so mainly because of the influence of these large cutting concerns being so widespread.

I think many of my hrethren, who, like myself, are endeavouring to conduct their business profitably, but not antagonistically to others near them, will endorse what I have said.

Yours faithfully,

Lower Tottenham, July 4.

J. E. EASTMAN.

#### A True Item.

Where cutting chemists love to dwell, Where stores did hold their sway, Poor Jones did ope a chemist's shop, And live to rue the day.

The shop was perfect, and, in truth, It only one thing lacked, And that was in the chemist's self— He wanted business tact.

He came among them from the "Squarc," Was green as green could be; "They all may cut," said Jones, "but that Is not the style for me."

The "cutters" cut, and ditto stores; Compete, his plan had been, He thought of "high-class pharmacy," And scorned a thing so mean.

He wondered still why clients went To Muggins 'cross the way, When they 'd, by calling at his hall, Have twice as much to pay.

Iu January Jones' shop
First saw the light of day,
But Muggins bought goodwill (!) and stock
Th' ensuing mouth of May.

INSTANET.

#### Irish Pharmacy.

To the Chemist and Druggist-

SIR,—Permit me, through your valuable journal, to call attention to the low cbb to which Irish pharmacy has been allowed to drift by the council of mismanagement to whom has been entrusted the carrying out of the Irish Pharmacy Act.

We read in your reports, month after month, of all their transactions and useless palaver, but are still patiently waiting to discover what useful work they have done since they were first incorporated, besides the benefits that have indirectly accrued to some of themselves, and to realise what an amount of permanent injury they have allowed to accumulate till it has assumed such gigantic proportions that all their future acts or those of their successors in office will not be sufficient to destroy. The Irish Pharmacy Act still remains a dead letter, and the idea of conducting it as was intended has never entered into the minds of some of those magnates whose chief aim has been attained in thwarting the Act in its main clauses, like good Home Rulers and true philanthropists. These are most unfit representatives of Irish pharmacists, but very excellent for their own interests and that of their devoted followers, the grocers and paintmen, to whom they can, in addition, push a good thriving trade in drugs from their general stores, to the great detriment of the apothecaries and licentiates of this Society. Therefore, as long as such a class of persons occupy seats at this Council, what hope is there for Irish pharmacists and the Poisons Act but utter disregard? It may be that the Irish Act does not give all the legal powers we could desire; but why not use what it has, as far as possible, to grapple with and stem the tide of illegitimate traffic which is deluging the country? Here "Ignorance is bliss, and 'tis folly to be wise." Seemingly, all the qualification required in Ireland to guarantee success is to know nothing and fear nothing, in other words "ignorance and impudence." If you are armed with these credentials, then you are proof against failure. "Don't be afraid, the Government won't interfere with you." Such is the cry. Only the other day I saw a label from one of these pretentious concerns, where its great central luminary was not sufficiently satisfied with proclaiming himself a chemist and druggist, but had the further assurance to dazzle the eyes of the public by announcing that he was a dispensing and family chemist. This is the elegant and easy manner in which things are managed in the Emerald Isle, and take their rise and being in the glorious panacea for all the ills of Ireland-" Home Rule"-which will allow every man to do as he likes, and make him as good as his neighbour.

In Belfast, for instance, we have quite a host of these self-titled druggists springing up like mushrooms, and preying upon the vitals of the pharmaccutical chemists and legitimate druggists, the latter of whom should have been registered long since. By the non-registration of these druggists, at least eight years ago, all this mischief bas arisen. Now the registration of those druggists who were in trade at the passing of the Act would at once create a fund of fully 2.0001, by which means the Society would be immediately placed on a proper footing to carry out its engagements. and thereby induce every licentiate to become a contributing member, and greatly increase the number of candidates for its diploma. Thus affairs would be controlled with ease, and enable it to exterminate these prolific pests. But at present these general dealers, or "Roger Gileses," have become so daring that they will dispense a prescription, sell you from drugs, poisons, oatmeal, pigs' rings, down to new-laid eggs every day, and treat man or beast with as much cool, reckless audacity as the Scotch farrier who made such a dangerous and indiscriminate use of "landamy" and "calomy" on his four-footed patients. It is most surprising what an impression such impudent characters can make upon the ignorant and credulous, and how little effort chemists make in their own behalf towards their suppression, as all are more or less sufferers by them. This is a great and crying evil, which demands no more trifling with on the part of this Council. Now, the remedy lies with the members of the Society themselves. If the present Council will not advocate their legal rights, then at the next election let them be unanimous in their voting and eradicate all those obstructionists who are connected with wholesale general trading, also professional men who are not actually engaged in retail pharmacy, and elect proper delegates from among themselves. Then the voice of the trade will be thoroughly represented, the Pharmacy Act carried out as it should be, and the public better assured of the class of persons into whose care they are ever entrusting their lives.

Yours traly,

AN IRISH CHEMIST.

[We think the above letter a very necessary one. If there are men on the Council whose interests are antagonistic to an effective prosecution of the Pharmacy law, it is only fair that this should be known. Such men are very likely most honourable, and we do not suppose for a moment any of them would deliberately betray the trust which has been reposed in them. We only consider it reasonable that every member of the Society should have a definite knowledge of the bias of those for whom he is asked to vote. The election of medical practitiouers on the Council is on a different footing. It is incomprehensible to us why the trade in Ireland should, year after year, elect M.D s, and the like, to role over them; but they do so, and they do it with their eyes open. The result is what might be expected: an interesting academic discussion once a month, and no useful action.—ED, C. & D.]

#### Chemists' Taxes.

#### To the Chemist and Druggist-

SIR,—I send you the following letter for publication, which I have this day forwarded to Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, Bart., Chancellor of the Exchequer.

I am, sir, yours obediently,

ROBERT OWEN FITCH.

To the Right Honourable Sir Michael Hicks-Beacb, Bart., Chaucellor of the Exchequer.

Onlookers see more than the players, so allow me to drew your attention to the fact that in all the Budgets the following circumstances seem to be entirely overlooked, viz., that the undermentioned traders pay an nnfair proportion of the Inland Revenue, for instance: Bankers, brewers, publicans, solieitors, pawnbrokers, livery and job masters, tobacconists, chemists, and silversmiths, while the largest retail existing and its wholesale pay nothing on the trade to State funds-I allude to the drapery trade. Some of the retail establishments are returning half a million per annum. Now, if a license of 10s. on every 25l. of rental existed it would be but just; if one farthing per yard were placed as duty on all calicos and linen goods, three halfpence on lace per yard, 1s. on all feathers, as well as a 1d. stamp upon all gloves of 2s. 6d. and above in value, it would form a considerable revenue, and all alike would have to pay it. I would also recommend a 23d. stamp on all copies of carte de visites, and 3d. on all cabinet photographs. I would further suggest that for every pig, sheep, or other animal killed the butcher should pay a tax of 21d. Of course, I do not intend that these taxes should be imposed upon anything exported, so as to limit our foreign trade, and all foreign goods of a like character should be subject to the same excise.

I, as my stamp above will show, am a retail chemist, and I complain that this incidence of taxation is not equal. Why should all my tinctures—say 60 overproof—have to pay 16s., ann, latterly, 19s. 8d, duty on the spirit, the original value of which is only 5s. per gallon, and this not for a luxury, but for preparing curative medicines for the poor?

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

ROBERT OWEN FITCH, M.P.S.G.B.

#### Luncheon for Two

In a lane near Covent Garden
Au opster vendor dwells—
You can always tell the premises
By two gigantic shells;
I sometimes drop in there myself,
And make a difictioner
Off bivalves, which the seller says
Come fresh to town each day.

'Twas on one of these occasions
Tbat a strange event befell;
What it was, my gentle reader,
I am now about to tell.
A customer came sauntering
Into the shop: said he,
"I want some oysters very cheap,
As common as can be."

"We keep no common oysters here,
Our prices, we may state,
Are three-and-six for Whitstables,
Our Dutch are two-and-eight."
Said he, "Dear me, that's far too
much:
I want them coarse, you know,
Aud rather rank, and, what you call
'A little on the go.'"

The man said, "We've three dozen, which
Were opened yesterday;
I rather think they are in the sink,
Unless they're thrown away.
Perhaps you'll find them bad enough,
They're anything but sweet.
Just take the lot for sixpence, if
You think they're fit to eat."

But, with three dozen licks,
He very quickly put himself
Outside the thirty-six!
Then waited for an interval
To let them settle down.
Transt confess I thought be was

Well, sir, you'd hardly credit it,

I must confess I thought he was The meanest man in town. But my surprise was very great,
It was when he expressed
A wisb to have three dozen of
"Real Natives," very best!
"But, sir," the shopman said, "the
price,
As I have said before.

Is three and six the dozen, that
Is five and ten the score."

"Then open me two score of them.

And mind that you look smart;
If you've any donbt of payment,
there's
The cash before you start."
So down went forty more molluses—
"Real Natives"—very best,

Which in a little time, I guess,
Got mixed up with the rest.

"Excuse me, my good sir," I said,
"Bnt I should like to know
If you will let me have a word

With you before you go.

I hope I 'm not impertinent,
But I have stood aghast,
While you have made, what seems to
me.

A very strange repast.

"I feel I take a liberty,
But please to understand, I
Am stumped outright to comprehend
Your modus operandi."
He answered, "'Tis a secret which
I tell to very few,
But as you seem to be polite,
I don't mind telling yon.

"I have a horrid tapeworm, which
Is gnawing at my breast;
You don't suppose I'd be a fool,
And feed him on the best.
No! anything will do for him,
And when I think he's done,
Then I go in for something choice
To nourish Number One."

#### MORAL.

The proverb bids us "Never mix,"
The saying's very trite,
Don't mix your oysters or your grog,
of course, that 's very right.
But mix in good society,
And if you get a germ,
Why! mix a dose of physic up,
And give it to the worm!

NEMO.

#### [NOTE BY THE AUTHOR.]

In an instructive little work called "Worms Cobbold" (published by Churchill) I am rather surprised to find that the author omits to notice that the pork tapeworm (Tania sollum) has a decided partiality for oysters (Ostrea callis)! On the other hand, several authors refer to the fishy tastes of Bothriocephalus lata, and it may possibly be to the latter species that the cestoid here mentioned may be referable. I regret that, not having met Mr. —— (he did not give me his card) since the event which forms the subject of this paper, I have not bad an opportunity of determining the species. Should subsequent research confirm my suspicion that Mr. ——'s entozoon is new to science, I would place it in the genus Bothriocephalus (I like that best, because it is the longest and sounds most important), and would propose the specific name of Ostriophagus mihi as being appropriate.

[It may satisfy some sceptical readers as to the verity of the above narrative if we state that the author is a well-known M.D.]

35/46. Chemicus.—Spurious silver is blackened by solution of silver nitrate, and spurious gold is dissolved by nitric acid. See our last number, page 346, for test for "Mystery Gold." We presume that it is these simple tests that you wish.

37/9. Etlana,—Martindale's Extra Pharmaeopæia is published by H. K. Lewis, Gower Street, Loudon, price 7s. 6d.

 $36/17.\ W.\ H.\ B.$  asks for a formula for liquor eopaibæ, soluble in water. Can any reader supply this ?

W. L.—Aniseed Cordial.—Macerate 1 oz. of aniseed bruised, in alechol 2 oz. and water 2 oz., for twenty-four hours; filter, and add 2 oz. of simple syrap.

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Mag. sulph	 	 	 Зij.	Зj.

M. Ft. pulv. One daily in the wash or other fcod.

36/39. Fritz refers to a formula for cough powders for horses published in this journal a few months since. It was composed of antim. nig., ammou, nour., and anisced, of each ½ lb.; squills, 1 lb.; licorice powder, 1½ lb. one oz, for a dose. Fritz found this efficacious, and afterwards, requiring some cough rowders for sheep and lamhs, he prepared a similar mixture and ordered half doses for the sheep and quarter for the lamhs. Some of the latter died, and he asks us whether we should consider the powders caused the death. We should consider that very likely. Sheep cannot take antimony even in small quantities, and, besides, the relative doses were much too large for the sheep and lambs. The average weight of a horse is 1,600 lhs., while that of a sheep may be estimated at 100 lbs.; the dose for sheep would therefore be 1-16th of that of a horse, or less in the case of antimonials and some other agents.

28/49. II. Cumber.—Vineyard and Orchard Culture and Agricultural Chemistry.—The following books are recommended by one of the best modern authorities:—Barron's "Vines and Vine Culture" (published at 171 Fleet Street); D. Morrison, "Fruit Culture under Glass" (Blackwood); Johnston and Cameron's "Elements of Agricultural Chemistry and Geology" (Blackwood); R. Warrington, "The Chemistry of the Farm" (Bradbury & Agnew); Lloyd, "The Science of Agriculture' (Longmaus); Charles Waterhead, "Profitable Fruit Farming." See also B. D. Jackson's "Vegetahle Technology: A Contribution towards a Bibliography of Economic Botany," Index Society, 1882.

Cultivation of Medicinal Plants.—Simmond's "Tropical Agriculture" is almost the only book dealing at all with this subject. The "Tropical Agriculturist," a monthly periodical published by Ferguson, Colombo, Ceylon, is very valuable. The literature of the subject is so scattered that it is almost impossible to give anything like a guide to it in a paragraph. The Index Society has published a valuable work by B. D. Jackson—"Vegetable Technology: A Contribution towards a Bibliography of Economic Botany, founded upon Collections of G. J. Symons," London, 1832.

36/12. Local Anæsthetic for Use in Drawing Teeth; to be used to allay the pain when the tooth is being taken out.—Minor will find many details on page 346 of our last number. To this we add the report of Dr. Harlan in the British Journal of Dental Science, He finds that a tincture made of 10 oz. of cannabis indica tops to 1 pint of alcohol is useful in excavating sensitive cavities. The cavity is filled with wool soaked in the tincture, and left for several minutes. The pain of cutting seems to be less intense, and causes not much discomfort to the patient.

38/51. W. II.—The registration of the firm as a limited liability company is no doubt done with the object you suggest, and, in the present state of the law, there is no remedy. It reduces the Pharmacy Act to an absurdity, but the proceeding is quite legal.

In a eleverly-designed advertisement in this issue Messrs. J. Lancaster & Son, of Birmingham, suggest that photographic apparatus and materials judiciously handled may help to improve the balance-sheet at the end of the year. There is no doubt that photography is becoming a fashionable hobby, and chemists will be unwise if they let slip this new source of profit so well adapted to their business.

#### Obituary.

BILBROUGH.—On June 1, Mr. Joseph Brooks Bilbrough, chemist and druggist, Leeds. Aged 71.4

BENNETT.—On June 15, at 14 Union Street, Plymouth, Mabel, youngest and beloved daughter of R. M. Bennett, chemist. Aged 16.

BETTS—On June 28, at The Court, Disc William Betts, Esq., of Wharf Road, City Road, and Frenze Hall, Norfolk. Aged 74.

BOOR.—On June 17, George Chitty Boor, of Percy House, Wimborne Minster, and Bishopsgate Street, City. Aged 54.

BLELOCK.—On June 7, Mr. Charles James Blelock, chemist and druggist, Bridge Street, Chester. Aged 61.

BULLOCK.—On June 15, Mr. Thomas Bullock, chemist and druggist, late of Warrington. Aged 77.

DALWOOD.—On May 20, at Cheap Street, Sherborne, Dorset, Constance Hall, mother of J. H. Dalwood, chemist. Aged 93.

DEANE.—On June 26, from atrophy, Mr. James Deane, pharmaceutical chemist, The Pavement, Clapham Common. Aged 36. Mr. Deane was a son of the late Mr. Henry Deane, formerly President of the Pharmaceutical Society.

DICKINSON.—On June 22, Mr. John Edward Booth Dickinson, Penistone, Yorkshire. Aged 41.

HOPE.—On April 25, Mr. John Hope, jun., chemist and druggist, Devonshire Road, Holloway. Aged 47.

HARDING.—On June 28. Mr. Thomas Tuck Harding, chemist and druggist, Abingdon Buildings, Bath. Aged 68.

JEPSON.—On June 7, Mr. Joseph Morley Jepson, chemist and druggist, Freeman Street, Great Grimsby. Aged 43.

Lewis.—On June 23, Mr. Richard Lewis, chemist and druggist, late of Finsbury Park. Aged 43.

Maw.—On June 28, at Broseley, Shropshire, Mr. John Hornby Maw, in the 86th year of his age. Mr. Maw was formerly senior partner in the firm of J. & S. Maw, of Aldersgate Street, and was uncle of Mr. Charles Maw, the present head of the house of S. Maw, Son & Thompson. He retired from business in June, 1835, just half a century ago, and has since resided first at Hastings and latterly at Broseley.

PRIESTLEY.—On June 22, Mr. John Priestley, chemist and druggist, Bolton. Aged 43.

SIMS.—On June 12, Mr. Joseph Sims, pharmaceutical chemist, Hirwain. Aged 56.

STEVENS.—On June 26, Mr. Henry Stevens, chemist and druggist, Hatter Street, Bury St. Edmunds. Aged 78.

VICKERMAN.—On June 5, Mr. David Vickerman, chemist and druggist, Kidderminster. Aged 43.

VICARY.—On June 29, at Endsleigh Place, Plymouth, at the age of 76, Mr. Thomas Merrill Vicary, for more than forty years in business as a chemist and druggist in Bedford Street. About eight years ago he retired, selling his business to its present proprietor, Mr. J. Maurice. For many years, and up to the time of his death, he held the office of vicar's warden at St. Peter's Church. He was well known for his benevolence, and was much respected.

#### MARRIAGE.

REDWOOD—CLARK.—On June 18, at Marylebone Church, Theophilus Horne, second son of T. Redwood, of Shern House, Walthamstow, and Boverton, Glamorganshire, to Emily Ann, elder daughter of the late J. Clark, of Great Portland Street, W.

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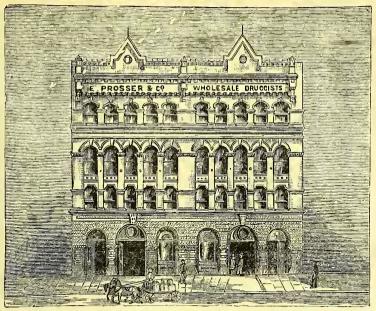
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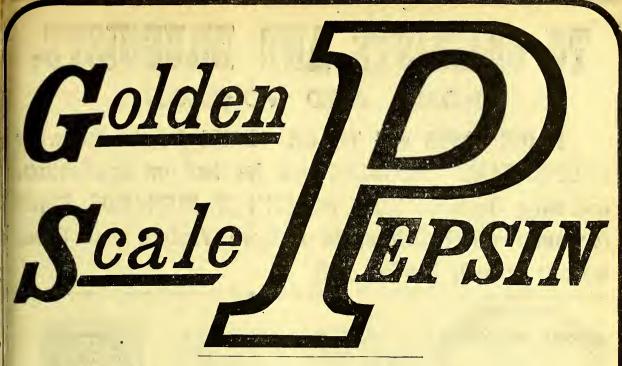
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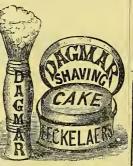
















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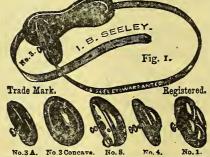
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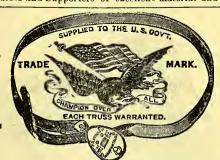
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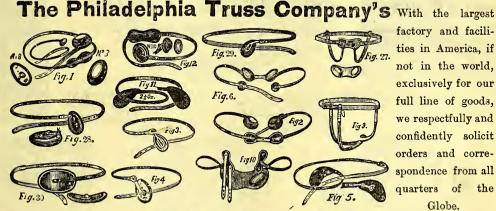
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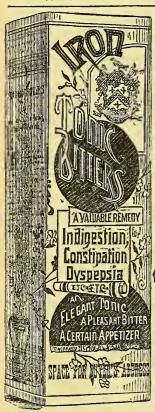
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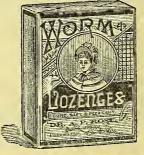


















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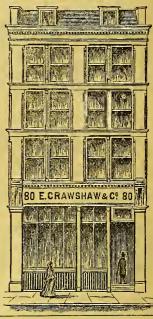
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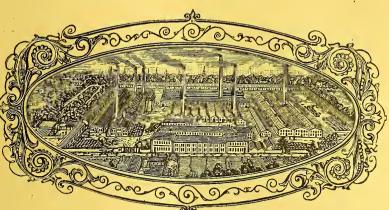
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Hydrofluoric Acid

Hydrofluosilicie Acid

Ammonium Fluoride

Sodium Fluoride

#### Iron

Iron Perchloride

0xide

Metal reduced by Hydrogen

Salts

Alum

Sulphide Fused

#### Lead

Lead Hyperoxide

,, Nitrate

Sulphate precipit,

#### Lead (cont.)

Lead Hyposulphite

Chloride

Chromate

#### Lithium

Lithium Carbonate

,, Chloride

Sulphate

#### Magnesium

Magnesium Carbonate

Chloride

Sulphite

Magnesite calcined, lumps & powder

#### Manganese

Manganese Oxide hydrated, for Varaish

Borate (Siccatif)

Hyperoxide precipit.

Carbonate

Chloride cryst.

Sulphate

Potassium Permanganate

#### Mercury

Mercury, red Oxide pure levigated

Sulphate

Sulphocyanide

#### Molybdenum

Molybdic Acid

Ammonium Molybdate

#### Nickel

Nickel Oxide

,, Sulphate

Sulphate and Ammonia

Metal

#### Platinum, Gold and Silver

Oxides and Salts

#### Potassium

Potassa Fusa

Potassium Acetate

Arseniate

Bicarbonate

Bromide ,,

Carbonate chem. pure

Chloride pure 99 Chlorate chem. pure

2.9 Cvanide

7 2 Permanganate cryst.

99 Oxalate neutral

29 Phosphate ,,

Sulphate pure 79

Tartrate neutral 22

Sulphide (liver of Sulphur)

#### Sodium

Soda caustic pure

Sodium Arseniate

Bicarbonate chem. pure,

cryst. and powder

Bisulphite

Carbonate chem. pure

Chlorate

Phosphate

Chromate neutral

Hyposulphite

Nitrate chem. pure

Pyrophosphate

Stannate

Sulphide cryst.

Sulphate

Sulphite

Tungstate

#### Strontium

Strontium Nitrate

Chloride

Oxide

Sulphate precipit. ,,

Carbonate precipit.

#### Sulphur

Sulphur Chloride

,, precipitated

#### Tin

Tin Oxide

" Bichloride

Sodium Stannate

Tin Ammonio Chloride (Pink Salt)

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Acid Tungstic Sodium Tungstate

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" Salts

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Sodium Phosphate

Potassium Phosphate

## Acid Phosphoric and Salts | Sulphites

(cont.)

Ammonium Phosphate

Calcium Phosphate precipit.

Calcium Phosphide

Calcium Hypophosphite

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Alum Ammonia pure

- Chrome
- Iron, cryst.
- Potash pure
- Sodium
- calcined

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,, Sodium

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Sodium Sulphite

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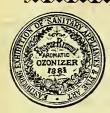
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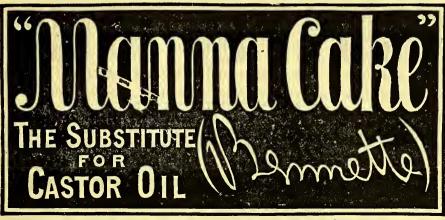
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VICE-CHANCELLOR SIR W. PAGE WOOD, by whom the suit in Chancery was first heard, stated in his judgment that 'Dr. J. Collis Browne was undoubtedly the Inventor of Chlorodyne, that the whole story of the Detendant Freeman was as deliberately untrue as the falsehood he had deposed to with reference to the use of his Chlorodyne in the Hospital.'

The VICE-CHANCELLOR also stated, that Chlorodyne was a fanciful name, and had application been made sconer, the

Court would have given Dr. Browne protection.'

LORD CHANCELLOR SELBORNE coincided with the judgment of the Vice-Chancellor upon this point, and stated 'that had application been made at a proper time and place, the Court would have found means to restrain the Defendant from misre-presenting the decision of the Vice-Chancellor.'

LORD JUSTICE JAMES, on appeal, stated in his judgment, 'that the Defendant Freeman had made a deliberate misrepresentation of the decision of Vice-Chancellor Wood.'

It was proved in Court, on affidavit by Mrs. Forbes, of Paris, that the testimonial published in the Times, November 14th, 1865, speaking of the great efficacy of Chlorodyne in Cholera, referred to Dr. J. Collis Browne's Chlorodyne, and that she never used any other, that she had written to the Defendant Freeman to that effect; notwithstanding which notice the Defendant publishes the said testimonial as referring to his medicine.

The Editor of the Medical Times, in his report on Chlorodyne, January 13th, 1866, gives information that the Chlorodyne referred to was the medicine introduced by a retired Army Medical Officer, which was Dr. J. Collis Browne; still this is published

by the Defendant as testimony to his medicine.

Numerous affidavits from eminent Physicians and others were produced in Court, stating that Dr. J. Collis Browne was the inventor of Chlorodyne, and that when prescribing they mean no other.

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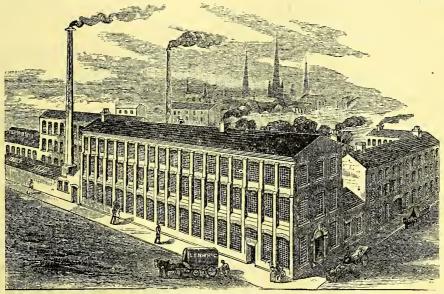
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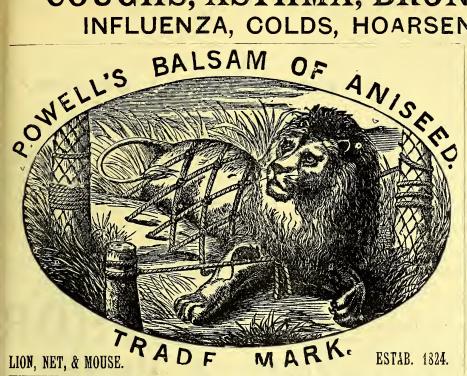
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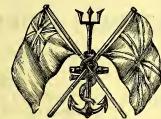
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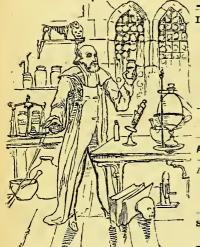
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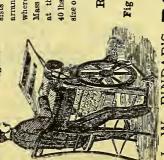
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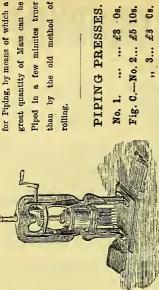
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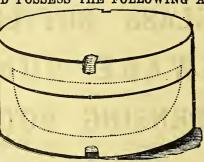
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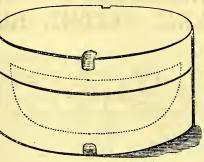
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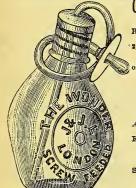
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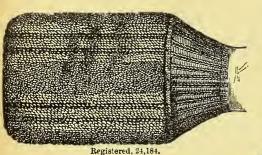
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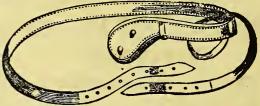
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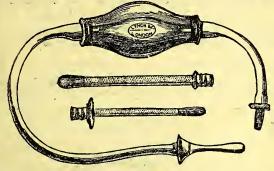
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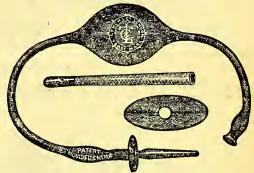
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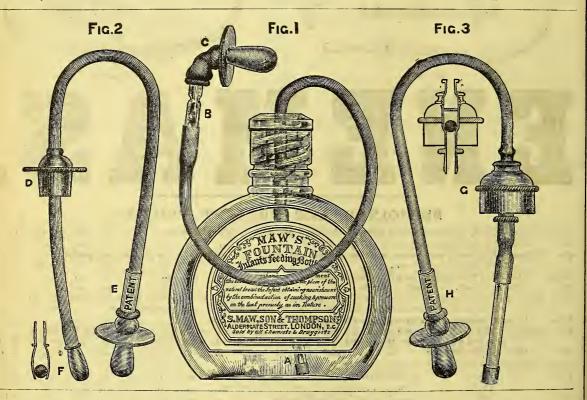
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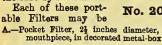
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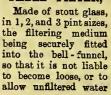
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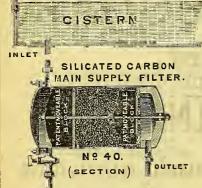
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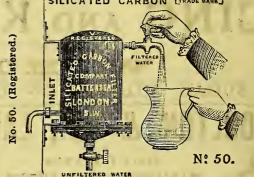
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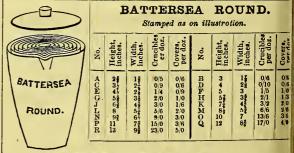
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